The Silverlogue

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RAYMOND MUSSELWHITE. JR. '49

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Silver Spring, Maryland

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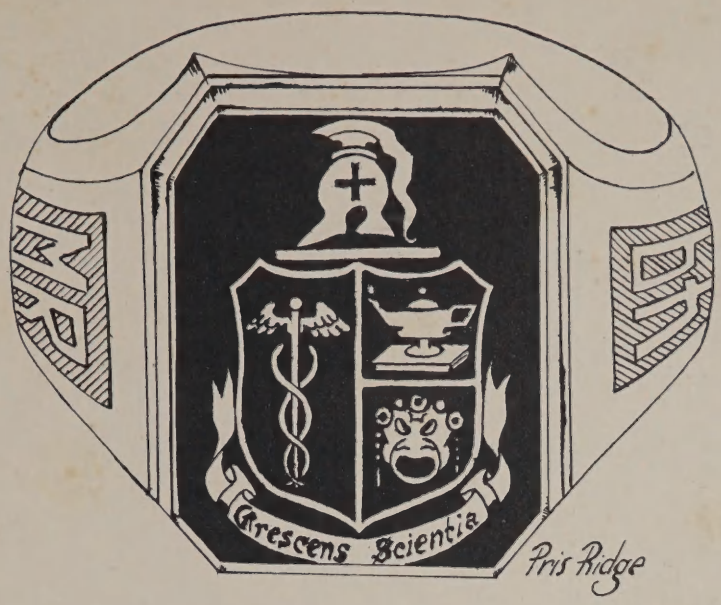


The Story of the Ring

WISDOM, HEALTH, FRIENDSHIP, SCHOLARSHIP, LIFE, these are symbolized in our school seal.

THE HELMET—Our administration, the men and women who have guided and advised us.

THE BOND—the ties of friendship among ourselves and the excellent cooperation we have received from our teachers.

THE STAFF—our traditions and high ideals of good sportsmanship.

THE MASK—our school activities and our contributions to social service.

THE LAMP— the knowledge we have acquired at Montgomery Blair.

"CRESCENS SCIENTIA" —Rising Knowledge."

We Dedicate This Book

To

ALMA E. MARSHALL

Our Teacher, Advisor and Friend

The Silverlogue Staff

of 1949

dedicates this book.

We dedicate to Mrs. Alma E. Marshall this yearbook in appreciation of her time and service to help us make this yearbook the best ever.

QUILL SCROLL

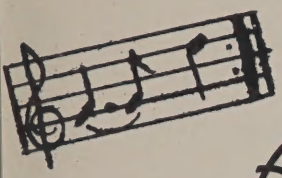
I. H.S.H.S.J.

Our Theme for 1949 is Music

Webster says:

"In Music a theme is a short melody used as a basis for variation and development in a composition."

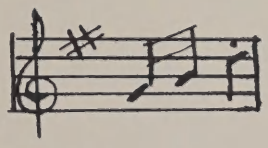
To us the short melody represents the yearbook; the variation is the Drum Majorettes; the band and orchestra portray the development; and these are contained in the composition: OUR SCHOOL.



Administration and Faculty

Seniors

Underclassmen



Special Features

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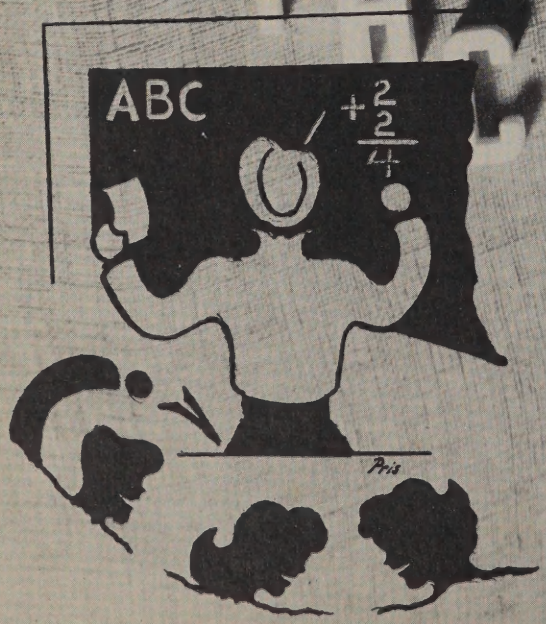
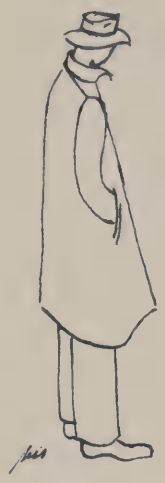
Administration & Faculty



In Memoriam
GEORGE R. BOWNE
Died August 15, 1948

"The Maestro"



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Salutat y Propinat
Juan Basta

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and so are these,

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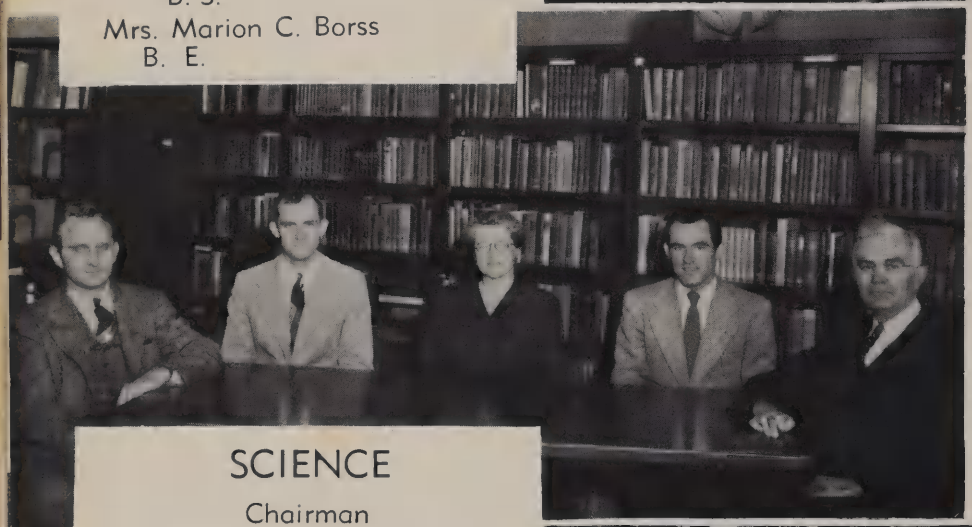

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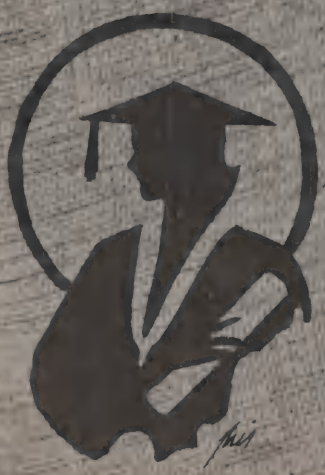

Signatures:

The "Firsts" in the Symphony . . .

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President

John Ford
Vice President

Jessie Pickett
Secretary

George Candish
Treasurer

Miss Marian L. Schwartz
Advisor

Our Senior Officers at work?

MARY K. ACREE

Kap

"All that we can say now, will only be proved in the future."

Fans find fantasy from fighting football fans

ANN ADAMS

"No one can say that her intelligence and charm are wasted."

Best of luck.

JANIE AITCHESON

"Amiable and envied attributes, Red hair, calm temper, pleasant personality."

Dancing Club '47 '48

NICK ALBERTI

Nick

"A disposition tolerant and sunny, That in life is worth more than money."

CHARLES ALDERTON

"A sharp wit has he, And an even sharper curiosity."

Work Program '48

BOB ALEXANDER **Bob**

"Busily working with heart and will, Always ready his place to fill."

Library Club '48-'49; Stud. Coun. Pres. '49; Honor Society '48-'49; Band '47-'48; Silverlogue '47-'48-'49; Visual Aids '47-'48-'49; Assembly Comm. '48; Order Comm. '48; General Supervisor Blair Conservation Project '47

Luck to Doing no more stories about the girls

ROBERT APPLEBY

Bob

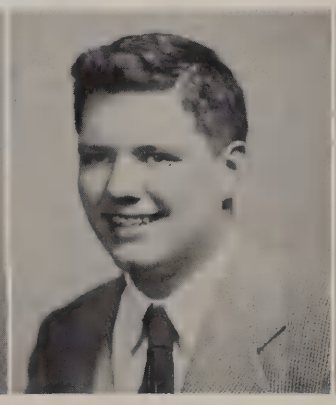
"Quite a chap is Appleby, I know he'll suit you to a "T"."

J. V. Basketball '46; Baseball '48; Homeroom Sec. '46; Intramurals '46-'48

MARILYN ARCHER

"She is very refined as you all know, And the sweetest of glances she can throw."

Legislature '49; Silver Chips '49



R. DONALD ARMIGER

Don

"Loads of fun all the while, That boy sure claims a winning style."

Silverlogue '47-'48-'49; Silverchips '47; Band '47-'48-'49; Intramurals '47-'48-'49; Football '47

JACK ARMSTRONG

Lou

"We are sure everyone would rejoice, To hear one word uttered by his voice."

DELORIS ASWELL

Toy

"Get thee behind me, Satan—and push."

Library Club '48-'49; Intramurals '48-'49; Silverlogue '48-'49 Order Committee '47

MARVIN ATHEY

"He has a very winning smile, Studies his lessons—once in a while.'

JOYCE ATKINSON

"Very demure is she in her ways, We take it for granted it always pays."

Glee Club '47-'48-'49; Conservation Club '-47'48; Homeroom Sec. '47

Good Luck always, Joyce

VIRGINIA BAGGOTT

Bugs

"Quiet yes, but my oh my, Just see that twinkle in her eye."

NANCY BAKKE

"She is pretty to walk with and witty to talk with, And pleasant, too, to think about."

Tri-Hy-Y '48-'49; Library Club 48-'49; Dance Committee '49; Order Committee '48; Intramurals '48; Art Club '48; Silverlogue '49

PATRICIA M. BEALL

Pat

"To get into mischief she will always try, But her angelic face says, 'No, twas not I'."

Business Organization '48-'49; Bank '48-'49 Dancing Club '47

JUNE BEAN

"June B. is a sweet sort of girl, Always has her hair done up in curl."

Business Organization Club '48-'49; Banking '48-'49; Silver Chips 48-49 Home Arts Club '47-'48

RONALD BEHRENS

Ronnie

"Ronald is very quaint and shy, We wager he never told a lie."

Photography Club '48; Art Club '47; Intramurals '47; Card Club '48

DOROTHY D. BLISS

"She carries her notes wherever she goes, The kind you were thinking of? No! Not those."

Psychology Club '47; Home Room Sec. 4'9; Silver Chips Rep. '49

JAMES E. BOOTH

"And still they gazed and still their wonder grew, That one small head could carry all he knew."

To the "fashion plate" of Blair

HELEN BRENNAN

"Always witty, always gay, Sparkling charm throughout the day."

Tri-Hi-Y '48-'49; Library Club '49; Silverlogue '49; Stadium Committee '48-'49; Variety Show Tickets '48

CHARLES BROCATO

Buddy

"His friendly way and sparkling eye, Catch our attention as we pass by.

JOHN S. BROOKBANK

"Loyalty and school spirit to him were preached, And this is a goal he really has reached."

Varsity Club '48-'49; Legislature '47; Visual Aids '47-'48-'49; Student Council '49; President of Homeroom '49; Silverlogue '48-'49; Honor Society '48-'49; Activity Committee '48; Intramurals '47-'48; Track '47-'48-'49

ANNE S. BROWN

Johnnie

"A clever, loyal, trusting friend,, To you, Ann, an Orchid we send."

Intramurals '47-'48-'49; Dramatic Club '48; Soph. Social '47 Dancing Club '47

SHIRLEY BROWNFIELD

Always friendly, never mad, Always cheerful, never sad."

Library Club '48-'49; Photography Club '47

BARBARA L. BUSSSEY

Babs

"Quiet without a lot to say, But ready to help in any way."

DALE M. BUTLER

"A likeable sort of fellow, is he, But he has a girl—Oh! Pardon me."

Veterans Club '47; Stadium Committee '48

SIDNEY BUTLER

Skid

"If it won't run or if it's broken, Sid will fix it, no jokin' ."

Library Club '47-'48-'49; Dance Committee '48-'49; Jr. Sr. Prom '48; Home room Vice President '49; Order Committee '48-'49; Intramurals '47-'48-'49; Activities Committee '48; Jr. Party Chairman '48

Lots of luck — John

JOHN E. CAMPBELL

"Someday in the Hall of Fame, We shall see this composer's name."

Art Club '47-'48; Pipers Club '47-'48; Variety Show '48

EDWARD CAMUS

Ed

"Happy is the man without a care, who brings lots of fun everywhere."

Ramblers '47-'48-'49; President Ramblers '49; Track Manager '47-'48-'49; Chess Club '47; Varsity Club '47-'48; Conservation Club '47; Intramurals '47

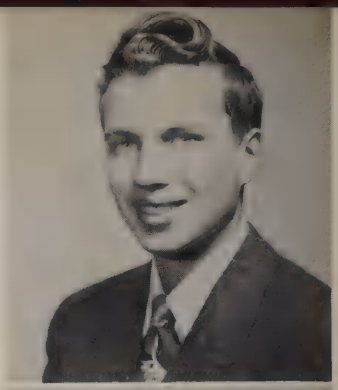
Bouganville flag-raising at Gonzaga game.

GEORGE W. CANDISH

Bubbie

"His voice is clear, he has the power to debate, If you ever heard him you'd say he is great."

Band '48-49; Glee Club '48; Order Committee '48; Hi-Y Pres. '48; H. R. Vice President '48; President '49; Library '48-'49 Track '48-'49 Dance Committee '49; Intramurals '48-'49; Student Council '49; Chairman School Improvements '49



JOAN C. CARL

"She that was fair and never proud Had tongue at will yet was never loud."

Homeroom Secretary-Treasurer '47; Legislature '47; Psychology Club '47

BREARLEY CARROLL **Bee**

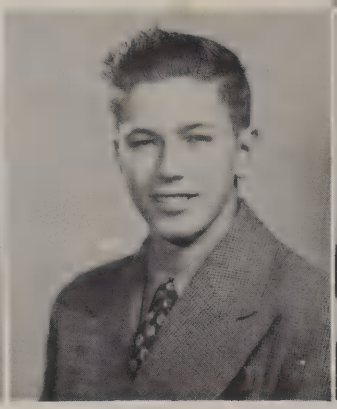
"An able editor is her claim,
Regrets will not be hers, but fame."

Cord Club '47; Silverlogue '47-'48-'49; Silverlogue Editor '49; Library Club '49; Honor Society '49; Dancing Club '47; Intramurals '47-'48; Quill & Scroll '48-'49

HARRY CARROLL, JR.

Harry

"With sincerity and confidence He lives the quiet life."



MONROE CASE

"For a boy he is very bashful, me thinks, For at the girls he never winks."

BETTY J. CASPER

Toots

"Her voice is soft and low, And never has she had a foe."

ROSEMARIE CASPER

Bo

"Now we come to a little mite; Her name is "Bo"; it suits her quite right."

Tri-Hi-Y '47-'48

WALTER CHAMBLIN **Babe**

"A quiet guy with lots of poise, Popular with both girls and boys."

Library Club '48-'49; Monogram Committee '48-'49; Football '46-'47-'48; Baseball '47-'48-'49; Homeroom President '47; Vice President '48

EDWARD CHAPIN

Ed

"Seems like basket ball he can play, Seems like he practices night and day."

Varsity Football '48-'49; Varsity Basketball '48-'49

SHER LEE CHEEK

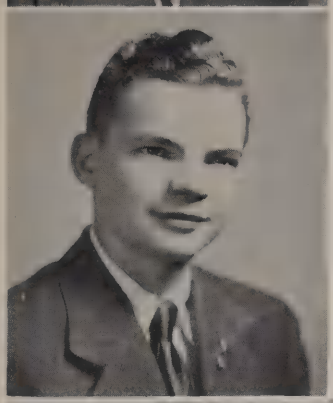
"Charm and grace she brings, Into a room in which she sings."

BAYNARD CHERRIX

Buster

"His practical talents and winsome air Shed joy and brightness everywhere."

Intramurals 47-'48; Track Team '47-'48-'49; Soph. Social '47



P. LEWIS CHESLEY

Lew

"Happy am I from care I'm free, Why aren't they all as happy as me."

Library Club '48-'49; Intramurals '48; Photography Club Pres. '48; Aviation Club 47

Good luck, Del

Ernie

Red and white, fight, fight; red and white, fight, fight.

ANN C. CLEMENTS **Candy**

"It's friendship that we all cherish, And we know its charm will never perish."

Library Club '47-'48-'49; Intramurals '47; Tri-Hi-Y '47-'48-'49; Photography Club '47-'48; Conservation Club '47-'48

ERNEST CLIFFORD

Ernie

"He lives most;—Who thinks most, Feels the noblest, acts the best."

PATRICIA COCHRAN **Pat**

"Many friends Pat has won, With her certain twinge for fun."

Library Club '48-'49; Tri-Hi-Y '48-'49; Art Club Pres. '48; Dance Committee '48; Silverlogue '49; Homeroom Secretary '48.

GENEVIEVE COE **Jenny**

Whatever you ask, she will do it
No matter how great the task."

Majorettes '48-'49; Silverlogue '49; Silver Chips '49; Home Ec. Club '47; HR. Sect. '49; Business Organization Club '49

Best of luck to a swell guy.
J.R.

J. RICHARD COLE

Dick

"Forward and frolic and glee was there, The will to do, the soul to dare."

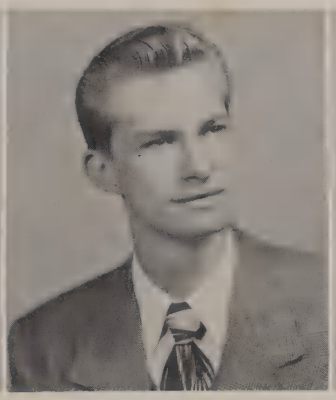
Intramurals '48-'49

Tony

ELWOOD G. COLIE

Tony

"He wears a very dependable air, In hardships he does not despair."



WILLIAM COLIE

Bill

"Always seeing the funny side of him, That's the glorious way of him."

EILEEN COLLINS **Eileen**

"Helpful, cheerful, smiling ever."

Library Club '47-'48-'49; Intramurals '47-'48; Dance Comm. '48-'49; Tri-Hi-Y '47-'48-'49; HR. Sect. '49; Legislature Alt. '49; Variety Show '48; Jr. Sr. Prom Committee '48; Soph. Comm. '47; Honor Society '49; Silverlogue '49

CAROL JEAN COOK

Cookie

"Faithful and competent in her work, From her duty she will never shirk."

BEATRICE COOKE

Bee

"Very sweet and Oh, so nice, She's someone to look at twice."

Conservation Club '47-'48 '49

VIRGINIA COSGRAVE

Bubbles

"And none, however fair of face, Within our hearts could take your place."

Business Organization '48--'49; Homeroom Treasurer '49; Home Ec. Club '47; Silver Chips Typist '48-'49

MARTHA COX

Marty

"As welcome as sunshine in every place, Is the beaming approach of a good-natured face."

Intramurals '48; Photography Club '47

RUTH F. CRAMER

Ruby

"Her quiet nature seemed to be Timed to each season's harmony."

Conservation Club '47-'48; Dancing Club '47-'48

CHARLOTTE CRAWFORD

Char

"Her active mind knows no bounds, There's always fun when she's around."

Drum Majorettes '48-'49; Dancing Club '47

CONSTANCE CRAWFORD

Connie

" A merry countenance, a hearty laugh; These in life count more than half."

Drum Majorettes '48-'49

MARGARET CRUM

Margie

"Life is not life at all without delight."

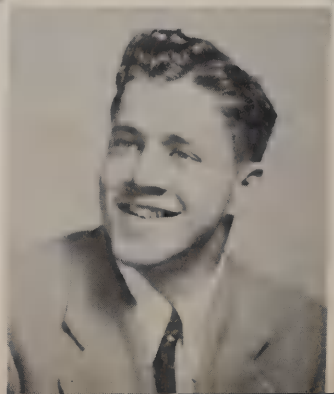
Conservation Club '47-'48; Dancing Club '47

SALLY ANN CURRY

Sal

"As a pal, none can beat her, We agree Sal couldn't be sweeter."

Sophmore Social Club '47; Dance Club '47



ROBERT CUSHMAN

Bob

"Who could out-run our full-back ace, Or compete with his laughing face "

Library Club '47-'48-'49; "B" Club '47-'48-'49; Track '47-'48; Legislature '47-'48-49; Varsity Football '46-'47-'48; Jay-Vee Basketball '47

T. JOYCE DARBY

Joyce

"She'll prove this point to everyone, An able editor who gets things done."

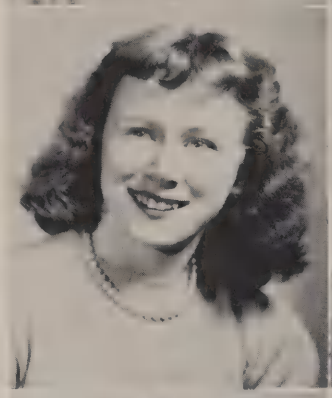
Silver Chips (Reporter '47; Literary Editor '48; Editor-in-chief '49); Soph. Social Club '47; Intramurals '47; Care '47; Library Club '47-'49

ALICE PATRICIA DAVIS

Peggy

"None know her but to love her, None name her but to praise her."

Library Club '48-'49; Honor Society '49; Silver Chips '48-'49; Election Committee '48-'49; Homeroom Vice President '49; Silverlogue '49



NANCY A. DAVIS

Rea

"Frank and free, and fearless, she Knows facts and friends and fun."

Blair Store '47-'48-'49

WALTER C. DeGROOT

"Friendliness is his and the will to please, What virtues could be better than these?"

Automatve Club '47-'48'-49; Radio Club '47-'48-'49

GAY DeNIKE

"A friend like her it's hard to find, In whom looks and charm are both combined."

Library Club '48-'49; Dance Committee '48-'49; Cheerleader '48-'49; Tri-Hi-Y '47-'48-'49 (President '49); Jr. Sr. Prom '48; Variety Show '48; French Club '47; Glee Club '47

RICHARD M. DIXON

"What ever he does, he does with might; That's what it takes to win the fight."

Intramurals '47-'48; Rifle Club '47-'48

JOAN DODSON

Jody

"Nice and friendly, pretty and sweet, She's the kind you like to meet."

Library Club '47-'48-'49; Tri-Hi-Y '47-'48-'49; Ramblers '47-'48-'49; Intramurals '47-'48; Silverlogue '47-'48-'49; Soph. Social '47; Dancing Club '46

MAUREEN C. DOHERTY

Irish

"Why worry? Things are bound to happen anyway."

Tri-Hi-Y '47-'48-'49; Photography Club '47; Visual Aid Club '47-'48; Intramurals '48

KEITH DONNELLAN

Mac

"His secret of success Is constancy of purpose."

Intramurals '47-'48; Chess Club '47; School Store '48

DAN DUFF

"A friend who is every inch a friend, Straight-forward, kind, big-hearted."

Dan Duff

Kickoff

NATALIE S. ECK

"Sweet as the music that she plays, Lovely and fine in all her ways."

Intramurals '46-'47; Ramblers '47-'48-'49; Soph. Social '47; Variety Show '47-'48-'49

THOMAS EESLEY

Tom

"True at heart and steady hand, The makings of a mighty man."

Aeronautics '47; Photography '47; B. B. A. '48-'49; Ramblers '48-'49

ALAN R. ENGLISH

Al

"He has a curl, That would win any girl."

Intramurals '47-48

JOAN ANN EVANS

"She was active, stirring, all fire—Could not rest, could not tire."

Library Club '48-'49; Conservation Club '47; Silverlogue '49; Ramblers '47-'48-'49; Variety Show '47; Intramurals '47-'48

ELTON A. FAY

Sonny

"A winning way and a pleasant smile, Such a man is well worth while."

DAVID FELDMANN **Dave**

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"Good health and good sense
Are two of life's greatest blessings."

Glee Club '47-'48; Intramurals '47-'48-'49; Track '48-'49; Library Club '48-'49; Order Comm. '48-'49; Band '48-'49; School Improvements '48

CAROL FORBES

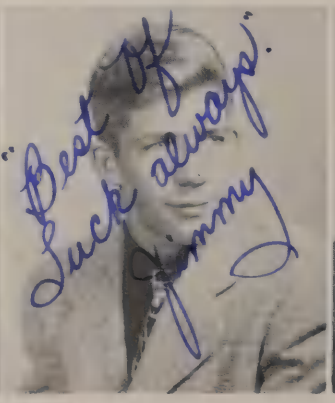
Carol

"She keeps the golden average Between saying too much and too little."

JOHN FORD, JR. **Johnny**

"By actual measure he's not very tall, But in personality he equals all."

Monogram '47-'48-'49; Legislature '47-'48-'49; Jr. Sr. Prom '48; Baseball '47-'48-'49; Basketball J.V. '47 V. 48; Order Comm. '49; Football '48-'49; V. P. Sr. Class '49.



JAMES FOSTER **Jimmy**

"He never made a mistake he couldn't explain afterwards."

Library Club '47-'48-'49; Intramurals '47-'48; Silver Chips '47; Dance Comm. '47-'48-'49; Silverlogue '48-'49; Hi-Y '48-'49; Visual Aids '48-'49; Legislature '49; Honor Society '49

BETTY FOX

"In her gracious face you'll see, Patience, Youth simplicity."

Kennel Club '48

Harold Fravel

HAROLD FRAVEL

Hotrod

"Inside my desk my books do lie, They are at rest and so am I."

PATRICIA FRAZIER

Pat

"Who never defies and never demands, But smiling takes the world in her hands".

Library Club '47- '48- '49; Silverlogue '49; Tri-Hi-Y '47-'48-'49

On Blair High School

WILLIAM FURLOW **Bill**

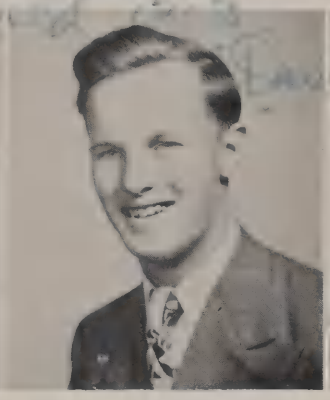
"When you see Bill start on his way, You'll know he'll be well known someday."

Visual Aids '47-'48-'49; Intramurals '47-'48-'49; Automotives '47; Silver Chips '47-'48-'49; Photography '48-'49; Baseball '49

CHARLES GAITHER **"Chuck"**

"Asking nothing, revealing naught, But minting his words from a fund of thought."

Rifle Club '47-'48-'49; Intramurals '47-'48; Chess Club '47; Dance Club '47-'48



DAVID GARDNER **Dave**

"In his character there's a purpose true,
Willing to dare and ready to do."

Football '46-'47; Work Program '47-'48-'49; Photography Club '47-'48-'49; Legislature '47-'48-'49

BETTY JEAN GILL **Bett**

"Personallity plus with a capital "P" Tri-Hi-Y (Councilman '47, Vice Pres. '48-'49); Dramatics '47; Library Club '47-'48-'49; Honor Society Historian '49; Student Council '49; Silver Chips '47-'48, Sports Ed. '49; Dance Comm. '48-'49: HR. Pres. '47.

MARGARET GILSON

Betty

"She has a merry wit And is not shy in using it."

Tri-Hi-Y '47-'48-'49; Silverlogue '49; Library Club '48-49; Drum Majorettes '47

SHIRLEY GITTINGS

Jackie

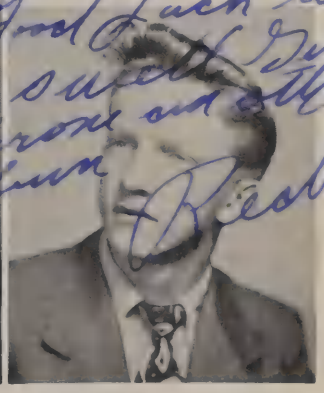
"Always peppy and full of fun, likes to be friends with everyone."

BETTE GLEIM

"Born for success she seems,
Always the star on the varsity teahs.'

Library Club '48-'49; Intramurals Capt. '48; Dramatics '47; "B" Club '48; V.P. '49; Hockey Team '48-'49; Tumbling '47; Basketball '47-'48; Softball '47-'49; Silverlogue '48; Girls' Sports Ed. '49; Ramblers '48-'49

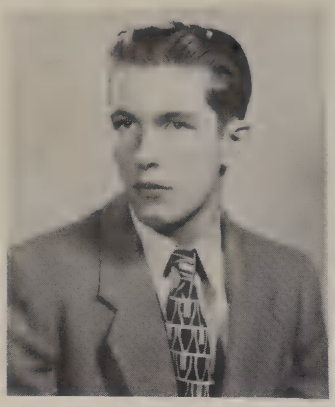
Good Luck to a sweet Guy from an old friend Reds



ROBERT I. GLYNN-JONES

Reds

"Women may come and women may go, But I am conquered forever."



FREDERICK GOODHART

Fred

"A mortal cheery, Never tired, never weary."
Automotive Club '47-'48-'49

LEWIS GRANDSTAFF

Louie

"A youth there was of quiet ways, Who knew how to use each of his days."
Intramurals '47-'48-'49

Best of luck
Lewis

JAMES GRIFFIN

Jimmie

"A mind like a book shelf does he possess? For all he thinks of is the noon recess."

ANITA HAFERMANN

Nita

"A good sport who's liked by everyone, A gal who's always full of fun."
Library Club '48-'49; Dancing Club '48; Care Committee '48-49

HELENE HAMILTON

Weenie

"A busy little someone with an ever-ready smile, Willing and helpful all the while."

PATRICIA A. HAMILTON

Pat

"There's mischief and a twinkle in her eye, And she loves to kid you all the while."
Library Club '48-'49; Tri-Hi-Y '47-'48-'49; Silverlogue '48-'49; Drum Majorettes '48-49; Intramurals '47-48; Art Club '47; Track Team '47-'48

ELAINE HANDABAKA

"Here's a likeable girl in work or play, And a sense of humor throughout the day."
Intramurals '46-'47; Silverlogue '47-'48; Silver Chips '47-'48-'49; Variety Show '47; CARE '47-'48; Conservation Club '47-'48; Library Club '49

JOAN MARY HANEY

Joan

"Working loyally for her school, Living out the Golden Rule."
Library Club '48-'49; Ramblers '47; Photography Club, '47-'48; Variety Show '48; Tri-Hi-Y '47-'48-'49; Farmer Party Committee '48; Soph. Social Club '47; Legislature Alt. '48

DOROTHY HANLON

Dee Jay

"Maiden with the dark brown eyes, In whose orbs a shadow lies."
Hockey Team '48

JOANNE HARMEN

Joody

" A "sweller" chum you'll never find, Always willing —she's that kind."
Dancing '47-'48

RICHARD A. HARRISON

Ricky

"Comedian, friend and athlete, At all, this guy is hard to beat."

Football '47-'48-'49; Boys "B" Club '47-'48-'49; Soph. Vice President '47; Baseball 47-48-'49; Homeroom President '49; Intramurals '47-'48

HELEN JEAN HARVEYCUTTER

"Heart soft as the landscape of dreams, She's as nice as she seems."

Conservation Club '47; Dancing Club '49; Sophomore Social Club '47; Art Club '49

JOAN HATTERSLEY

"Her blush is like the morning, With early gems adorning."

Art Club '47; Driving Club '47; Dramatic Club '47; Sopho-More Social Club '47; Silver Chips '47, '48 '49; Majorettes '48, '49; Tri-Hi-Y '47, '48, '49; Variety Show '47, '48; Library Club '47, 48, 49

JOAN HEDCOCK

She's sweeter than the morning dawn, And dewdrops twinkling o'er the lawn."

Cheerleaders '49; Silverlogue '49; Tri-Hi-Y '49; Care Committee '49 Library Club '49

JEANNE LOIS HEFFNER

"The fairest garden in her looks, And in her mind the wisest books."

Intramurals '47, '48; Legislature '48, '49; Jr. Class Treasurer '48; Tri-Hi-Y '47, '48, 49; Homeroom V-President '47; Homeroom Secretary '48; Silver Chips '49; Art Club '48

JOHN V. HELM

"Just at the age 'twixt boy and youth, When thought is speech and speech is truth."
Work Program '49

MARGARET ANNE HERBERT

Nan

She is not difficult to please, She can be silent as the trees."

Work Program '49

BETTY HICKS

"Affectionate, tender, loving and attached, She's a gal who can't be matched."

ROBERT HEIDEMANN

Bob

"A quick wit and ready tongue, Add much the pleasure of the occasion."

JOAN HOVER

"She sings and cheers and dances well, And as for looks —she sure is swell."

Library Club '47, '48, Vice-Pres. '49; Cheerleaders '48, '49; Soph. Social Club '47; Psychology Club '47; Tri-Hi-Y '48, '49, Officer '47; Dramatic Club '47; Dance Committee '48, '49; Variety Show '47, '48; Jr.-Sr. Prom Committee '48; Silverlogue '48

Help fire! Bonfire before Tech game

BEVERLY HUNTT

Bev

"Who's this gal with lots of vim? Who else but Bev would have that grin."

Library Club '48, '49; Treasurer of 'B' Club, Hockey '47; Baseball '47; Basketball '47, '48; Track '47, '48; Care '48; Silver-Chips, '48;; Intramurals '47; Dancing Club '47

RAY JACKSON

Jack

"I am always in haste, But never in a hurry."

Intramurals '47; Basketball, J. V. '47

CHARLES W. JAMES

Buck

"He's big of heart, Clean and strong of mind."

Intramurals '47, '48; Rifle Club '48; Golf Club '47, '48

GERALDINE L. JOHNSON

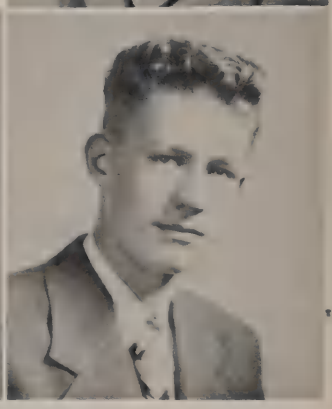
Shorty

"As studious as the day is long, As merry as the merriest song.

ROBERT JONES

"Life is not life at all, Without delight."

Intramurals '47, '48; Track Team '47, '48; Rifle Club '47, '48, '49



ROLAND JONES **Bones**

"Work is work and must be done, But as I work I have my fun."

Library Club '48, '49; Intramurals '47, '48, '49; Silverlogue '48, '49; Legislature '47, '48, '49; Order Comm. '49; Dance Comm. '48, '49; Ramblers '47; Dance Club '47; Honor Society '49

WILLARD JONES

"A nicer boy one couldn't meet, Willard's surely got them beat."

Rifle Club '47, '48, '49; Conservation Club '47; Intramurals '47, '48, '49

VICTOR JUNGK, JR. **Vic**

"You can tell the character of a man, When you see how he receives praise."

Soph. Class Sect. '47; Jr. Class Pres. '48; Stud. Coun. V. P. '49; HR. Pres. '47-'48; Football '47-'48-'49; Honor Society '48-'49; Library Club '48-'49; Silverlogue '48-'49

JOHN KENNEDY

"Sturdy of limb, strong of heart, A man in each and every part."

Football '47-'48; J.V. Basketball '47; Baseball '48-'49; Legislature '49

ROBFRT KIBLER

Bob

"Oh 'e's little, but 'e's wise, 'E's a terror for 'is size."

Automotives '47; Shop Club '47; Intramurals '47-'48

JOYCE L. KING

"In arguing, too, the person owned her skill, But for all of it, she was our friend."

Library Club '48, '49; Silver Chips '47, '49, Managing Editor '49; Intramurals '48

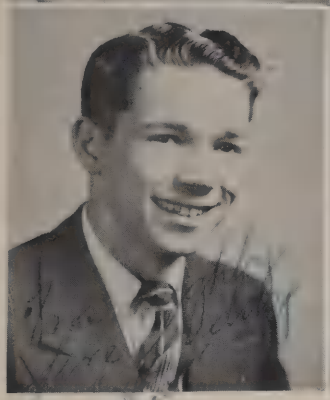
NANCY KLINE

"She tripped gaily along, in a carefree style, Mischief and song with her all the while."

Glee Club '47; Dancing Club '47; Intramurals '47, '48; Silver Chips '48; Sophomore Social Club '47

Good Luck
Nancy Kline

Entertainment at the slumber party



LEE KOETZLE

"To be efficient in every way,
That is his aim throughout each day."

Library '48, '49, Silverlogue '48, '49; Silver Chips '49; Dance Comm. '49; Conservation '47, '48; Legislature '48, '49; Intramurals '47, '48; HR. V. P. '49; Dancing Club '47

DAVID KREH

"A jack of all trades with a mind very keen, He's a whiz at mechanics; that's easy to be seen."

Visual Aids Club '47, '48, '49; Camera Club '48; Radio Club '47

WILLIAM KREPS

Bill

"And he, our friend, a carefree boy, His soul as fiery as his flaming hair."

Football '49

JANE KROUSE

Janie

"I felt her presence, By it's spell of might."

Tri-Hi-Y '47-'48; Library Club '48, '49; Ramblers '47, '48, '49; Dramatic Club Sec. '47

JANETTE KUHN

Skippy

"Eyes like a very dark topaz, It's a very nice feature that she has."

Art Club Sec. '47; Psychology Club '46; Silver Chips '47

CHARLES LAMB

Pat

"He is a gentleman from sole to crown,
When singing, his voice makes a lovely sound."

Intramurals '47, '48 '49; Order Comm. '49; Safety Comm. '49; Glee Club '48

LYLE N. LAMB

"Still is the silence, Round about his lair."

Automotive Club '47; Rambler Club '48; Aeronautics Club '47

BETTY LAMONT

"It's nice to be natural,
When you're naturally nice."

Tri-Hi-Y '48, '49; Commercial Club President '49, Silverlogue '48; Secretary Homeroom '47, '48

DONALD LASHLEY

Don

"It is my joy in life to find, The strong aim of a comrade kind."

Library Club '48, '49; Dance Committee '49; Order Committee '49; Intramurals '47, '48, '49; Rifle Team '47, '48, '49; Track Team '48, '49; Junior Senior Prom Committee '48; Silverlogue '49; Soph. Social '47.

DORA LAWSON

"Here's a girl that can't be beat, One the fellows like to meet."

Assistant Business Manager of Silver Chips '49; Commercial Club '49; Homeroom Secretary '47; Treasurer '48

NANCY LEAHY

Nancy

"Sprightliness in her you'll see, To your heart she holds the key."

Intramurals '47, '48; Dramatic Club '48;

PAT LEEF

"Given any job, She'll do all right, Very successful in any light."

Intramurals '47, '48; Library Club '49; Student Council '49; Legislative Representative '47; Care Representative '47, '48; Homeroom Sec. '48; Homeroom Vice-President '49

LOUANNE LEIGHTON

Lou

"Smiling and fashionable in her way, Possessed with neatness we'd always say."

Dance Club '47; Conservation Club '47 '48; Dance Committee '47, '48, '49 Soph. Social '47; Art '48; Silver Chips '48 Soph-Club '49

FRANK LEIZEAR

"Frank and cars like black and white, A well-known pair, a well-known sight."

Intramurals '47, '48; Movie Operator '47, ,48, '49.

JOHN LINTON

Johnny

"His dimples and his easy blush, Make us like him very much."

Band '47, '48, '49; Intramurals '47, '48, '49; Library Club '48, '49; Variety Show '48; Card Club '47; Student Council '49; Basketball Team '48

BARBARA LOCHTE

Babs

"Happiness is a perfume which we cannot sprinkle over others without spilling a few drops on ourselves."

Photography Club '47; Home Arts Club '47; Intramurals '48

ERNEST LOFFLER

Ernie

"Loffler's a senior quite shy; But just wait til the girls catch his eye."

Intramurals '47; Card Club'47; Automotive Club '47

BETTY LOWE

"B.P."

"Her jokes are a great attribute, But not only that, she's just plain cute."

Conservation '47, '48; Tri-Hi-Y '47, '49; Alternate to Legislature '49

JOAN MARGUERITE LUCKER

"Cool, collected, calm and self-possessed, You will always find her neatly dressed."

Intramurals '47, '48; Library Club '48, '49; Glee Club '47, '48, '49 Girl's "B" Club

HARRY R. LUGENBEEL

"And yet he smiles so wistfully, His spirit mysteries envelop me."

Intramurals '47, '48

Harry Lugenbeel

FRANK J. LUPAC, JR.

"Asking nothing, revealing naught, But minting his words from a fund of thought."

Library Club '48, '49; Intramurals '47, '48, '49; Dance Committee '48 '49

Lots of luck to a guy that wears the cattest shirts
Danny Lyons

DANIEL B. LYONS

Danny

"Speech is a mirror of the soul; As a man speaks so is he, we are told."

Intramurals '47, '48, '49; Legislature '47; Rifle Club '47, '48; Biology Club '47; Golf Team '47, '48; Junior Senior Prom Committee

BARBARA MACCOLLUM

Barb

"Patient, loyal, and quiet and true, She peps us up when we are blue."

Soph. Social '47, Tri-Hi-Y '47, '48, '49; Library Club '47, '48, '49; Homeroom Treas. '48, '49; Legislature Sec. '47, '48; Variety Show '48

JAMES C. MAIN

Jimmy

"I have often regretted my speech, Never my silence."

U. S. Navy '45, '46, '47, '48

DAVID LAWRENCE MANN

Dave

"Tall and angular is Dave Mann, Meet a guy who's really keen."

Homeroom Pres. '47; Intramurals '47, '48

Luck to Delmar Yalyo the first boy who will get married in the Class of "49"
Dave

DON E. MARKLE

" A cheerful grin and friendly way, With us at Blair he's sure ok."

Variety Show '47; Ramblers '47, '48; Election Committee '47; '48; '49; Dance Committee '48, '49; Library Club '48, '49; Intramurals '47, '48; Cheerleaders '48, '49; SILVERLOGUE '48, '49; SILVERCHIPS 47, '48, '49; Student Council '49

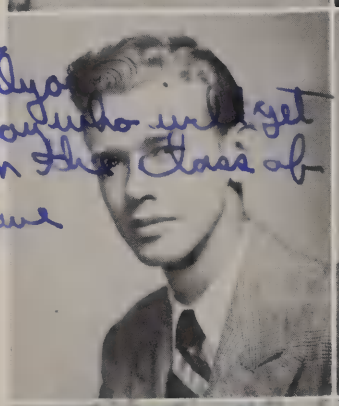
MARION M. MARSHALL

"In the halls she makes lots of noise, And we know she's quite full of joys."

Glee Club '47; Library Club '48, '49; Conservation '47; Dancing '47 SILVERLOGUE '48, '49

JOAN MARTIN

"O blessed with temper, whose unclouded ray, Can make Tomorrow cheerful as today."



O.K. Joyce, Bob can wash it off

VIRGINIA MARTIN

Ginny

"Whenever a laugh is to be found, You'll find Virginia somewhere around."

Conservation Club '47, '48

DORIS McCONOUGHEY

Little Chum

"Fit art those prodigal of smiles, Smiles, sweeter than frowns are stern."

TED McGOWAN

Mac

"For all the years we've spent together, He has blest us with the sunniest weather."

Band '47, '48; Orchestra '47; Visual Aids '47, '48

CHARLOTTE V. McHORNEY

"It' not her air, her form, her face, It's the mind that shines in every grace."

Silverlogue '49

ANNE McINNERNEY

Betty

"There's German and English, and Dutch in the class But Goodness Gracious! She's an American lass."

JOE E. McINTOSH

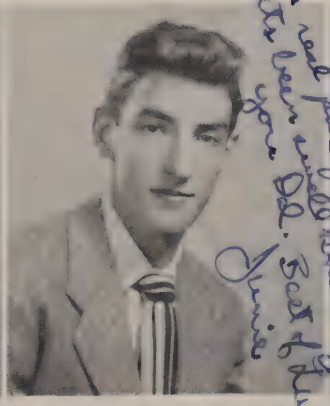
"He sits in the back seat in every class, When the teacher speaks, has a comment to pass."

DORCA McLAUGHLIN

Dotty

"Music is a beautiful magician, And few can resist its power."

Intramurals '47, '48; "B" Club '48, '49; Band '47, '48, '49; Orchestra '48; Variety Show '47, '48, '49



To a real pal from way back
It's been swell knowing you Dot. Best of luck
Junie

HUGH McLAUGHLIN

Junie

"He's tall, dark, and handsome, And never will he be lonesome."

Golf '48, '49; Intramurals '48

DOLLY M. McMILLAN

"One, whose gentle face Is fairer than the roses at her feet."

Dancing Club'47, '48

AUDREY MERRIMAN

"Kind in thought, word and deed, Of her actions more should heed."

Dramatic Club '47; "Care" Committee '48, '49

ROBERT MERRICK

Bob

"Do unto the other fellow the way you'd like him to do unto you, And do it first."

Rifle Club '47, '48; Intramurals '47, 48; Honor Society '49

Good luck to a good pitcher and a swell guy.
Bob Merrick

WILLIAM MESS

Baldy

"Bill Mess of football fame Has won for himself quite a name."

SILVERLOGUE' 47, "B" Club '48, '49; Football '47, '48, '49; Basketball '47; SILVERLOGUE Sports Editor '48, '49 Track '48 Dancing Club '47; Photography '47 Library Club '49

Kit, Morgan, Paul turn on the charm

MARILYN MIDDLETON

"No time to wait till her mouth can Enrich that smile her eyes began."

Library Club '48, '49; SILVER CHIPS '47, '48 49

DONALD MILLER

"Now he is always in whirls Because he has made his debut with the girls."

Work Program '48

JOSEPH MILLER

"He was a scholar, and a ripe good one,
Exceedingly wise, fair spoken son."

Camera Club '47; Visual Aids '47, '48, '49; Library Club 4'8, '49; Stadium Comm. '48 '49; Order Comm. '49; Variety Show '48; Intramurals '48; Silverlogue '49; Honor Society '49; Track team '47, '48

OLLIE MILLER

Olie Moo

"As welcome as sunshine in every place, Is the smiling approach of a good natured face."

Kennel Club '48;

AGNES MINICK

"Always busy and full of pep, With all the world she keeps in step."

Intramurals '47-'48

JOSEPH MOORE

Joe

"A youth to whom is given So much of earth, so much of heaven."

SAMUEL MOORE

Sam

"Kindness by secret sympathy is tied, For noble souls in turn are allied."

Intramurals '47-'48; Band '47-'48-'49

JUNE MOSBY

"Music's her favorite during classtime, but travels her favorite pastime."

Ramblers '47-'48; Dramatics '48; Soph. Social '47; Variety Show '48; Psychology Club '47

HOWARD MUHLY, JR

Mule

"I had rather have a girl to make me merry, Than experience to make me sad."

Work Program '48-'49

RAYMOND W. MUSSELWHITE,

Ray

"The world is always ready To receive talent with open arms."

Legislature'47; Art Club '47-'48; Silverlogue '49; Dance Club '47; Dance Committee '48-'49; Photograph Club '47

to a great pictures but a better guy Ray

EUGENE MYERS

Gene

"My only books were babbling brooks, And nature is what taught me."

Work Program '48-'49

BARBARA NEAL

"She walks in beauty, like the night, And all that's the best of dark and bright."

Library Club '47-'48-'49; Soph. Social '47; Homeroom Secretary '48; Silver Chips '47 Silverlogue '49; Legislature '49

RICHARD NICHOLS

Dick

"Comical and funny in every way, Really swell all say."

Library Club '48-'49; Jr. Prom Committee '48; Football '47; Track '47; Intramurals '47-'48-'49; Variety Show '48; Biology Project '47; Soph Social '47

WILLIAM NICHOLAS

Bill

"Quality, not quantity, Is his measure."

Work Program '48-'49

GORDON D. NORTH

Boom-Boom

"Gordon blows a horn in the band, At our assemblies he's always on hand."

Baseball '47--'48-'49; Library Club '48-'49; Order Committee '48-'49; School Improvements '49; Band '47-'48-'49; Intramurals '47-'48-'49

THELMA ORRISON

"And that smile like sunshine, Darts into many a sunless heart."

Card Club '47; Legislature '47; Silverlogue '47

LUCILLE OVENDEN

Poonah

"Full of vigor, pep, and fun, Ever always on the run."

Activity Council '47; Dramatics '47, Pres. '48, '49; Ramblers '47-'48-'49; Intramurals '48; Library Club '48-'49; CARE '48; Silverlogue '48; Silver Chips '47; Inter-School Relations '48; Homeroom Pres. '49

KEVIN OWENS

"Man is his own star; and the soul that can, Render an honest and perfect man."

Intramurals '47-'48-'49; Dance Committee '47-'48-'49

MITCHELL PARSONS

Mitch

"He's handsome, lithe and very tall, He really knows his basketball."

School Stadium Committee Chairman '47-'48; Basketball '47-48-'49; Football '47-'48·

VIRGINIA MARLENE PATRICK

Dinky

"Truth is enough for prose, To tell just what it knows."

ANITA PAYNE

"Thou whose locks shine in the sun, Golden tresses, wreathed in one."

Glee Club '47; Intramurals '47; Dance Club '47

BETTY PEMBERTON

Pem

"When Betty's around there's sure to be fun, Always ready—on the run."

Library Club '48-'49; Intramurals '47-'48; "B" Club '48-'49; Dramatics '47; Dance Club '47; Card Club '48; Soph. Social '47; Silver Chips '49; Silverlogue '49

JOHN PERKINS

Doug

"To a boy you've got to meet, Here's someone who can't be beat."

Football '48-'49;

LUDEANE PETERSON

Lu

"With sense of humor that can't be beat. An attractive girl who's always neat."

Intramurals '48; Silverlogue '49; Silver Chips '49; Library Club '49; Ramblers '49

RALF PEUCKER

"Man's reach exceeds his grasp, Else what's a heaven for?

Tennis Team '49

JESSIE JEAN PICKETT

Jess

"Her modest answer and graceful air, Show her wise and good as she is fair."

Silver Chips ('47, '48, Managing Ed. '49) Soph. Social '47; Secretary of Jr. & Sr. Classes; Secretary of Homeroom '48-'49; Treasurer of Homeroom '49

THOMAS D. PREVO

Tommy

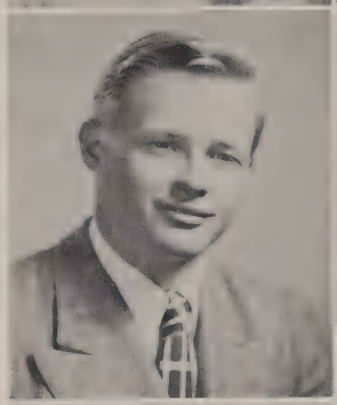
"One proud truth has been written plain, That valor never is in vain."

Intramurals '49; Photography Club '47; Homeroom Pres. '48-'49

MARY M. RAINES

"With the joy of spring, And morning in her eyes."

Dance Club '48; Intramurals '47; Silver Chips '48-'49; Legislature Alt. '48-'49; Homeroom Pres. '48-'49;



Here I sit reclining

Best of Luck
Douglas Ray

GLORIA RAUSCH

Granny

"Very quiet—Very nice, Liked by everybody."

Commercial Club '48-'49; Silverlogue '48-'49; Silver Chips '48-'49; Driving Club '47

FRANK RAWLINGS

Hank

"Oh, wonderful days, Little do we know what lay before us."

DOUGLAS RAY

Buzz

"He lives to build, not boast, A generous race."

Intramurals '47-'48; Baseball '48

JOHN M. REDMOND

Digger

"True friendship is like sound health, The value of it is seldom known until it is lost."

Intramurals '48-'49

HAROLD REED

Dynamite Bill

"The mildest manners with the bravest mind, Ever precise in promise keeping."

Intramurals '47; Photography '47; Card Club '48; Rifle Club '48

SYLVIA REED **Syl**

"The sun shone on her gleaming hair, And her cheek was glowing fresh and fair."

Library Club '47-'48-'49; Tri-Hi-Y '47-'48-'49; Dramatics '47; Soph. Social '47; Tacky Party Comm. '47; Silver Chips '47-'48-'49; Co-Feature Ed. of Chips '49; Jr. Sr. Prom Comm. '48

CATHERINE L. REINHART

"The fairest garden in her looks, And in her mind the wisest books."

Home Ec. Club '47; Intramurals '47; B.B.A. '48-'49

ERMA L. RENNER

Mickie

"She was humble, she was stately, Simplest deed, she did it greatly."

VIRGINIA RICE **Ginnya**

"A dark-haired girl with a quiet smile, Who's happy, joyful all the while."

Library Club '47-'48-'49; Intramurals '47-'48-'49; Basketball '47-'48

Days may come & days may go
But Ely earns
goes on
forever!
Lots of
luck &
Fun-Fun times
Val

CHARLES RICHARDS

Chuck

"Until you know him he's rather quiet, But after that he's quite a riot."

Library Club '49; Football '47-'48-'49; Baseball '47-'48-'49; Basketball '47-'48-'49

DOROTHY RICHARDSON

Dotsie

"O Dorothy the girl with the smile, Has all others beat by a mile."

Hockey '48-'49

PRISCILLA RIDGE

Pris

"If her voice you've not heard yet, Be sure to hear her at the "MET"."

Library Club '48-'49; Dance Committee '48-'49; Tri-Hi-Y '48-'49; Cheer Leaders '48-'49; Student Council Secretary '48; Art Editor Silverlogue '49; Glee Club '47; Variety Show '47-48; Silver Chips '49; Intramurals '47-'48; Queen's Court '49

Pom Pom girls in Parade of Progress

To one of the better undergraduates. "Lots"

Best of luck Donnie

DONNIE RISSLER

"Fair is she, pleasing fair, Learned, but with modest air."

Ramblers '48-'49; B.B.A. '48-'49; Home Ec. Club '47; Intramurals '47-'48

Good luck to a great pitcher. Dick Roberts

JOAN RITTER

Joan

"A studious lass of the jolly sort,, That's a real true friend and splendid sport."

Silverlogue '49; Soph. Social '47

SHIRLEY ROBBINS **Robbie**

"Her serious moments are few, Full of fun and never blue."

Hockey Team '48; Intramurals '48; Silverlogue '49; Track '48; Library Club '49

JOSEPH ROBERT **Joe**

"A trfle long, a trfle lean The neatest boy I've ever seen."

Intramurals '47-'48-'49; Rifle Club '47-'48; Library Club '48-'49

Good luck and your pitching and always keep it up. Russ.

RICHARD ROBERTS

Dick

"If you haven't met Dick you're in for a treat, here's a grand guy that can't be beat."

Intramurals '47-'48-'49; Visual Aids '48; Track '47

EDMUND ROBINS

Bunski

"We have with us an artist of fame, He's already made quite a name."

Art Club '47-'48-'49; Football '48-'49; Intramurals '47-'48-'49

E. MACLIN ROBY

Mac

"Here is a man to hold against the world, A man to match the mountains and the sea."

Chess Club '47; Intramurals '48; Baseball '47

WARREN RUSSELL **Russ**

"O here's a guy named Russell, To beat him you'd have to hustle."

Band '47; Intramurals '47-'48-'49; Homeroom Treasurer '47; Soph. Social Pres. '47; Library Club '48-'49

Be careful with those "bed-room" eyes - lots of luck - "M"

ANDREW RUSSO

Andy

"Andy Russo should write a book, And entitle it "The Look"."

Silver Chips '49; Intramurals '48

MURIEL SANDIFER

Mo

"Ever there with a ready hand, With beautiful hair like golden sand."

Library Club '47-'48-President '49; Tri-Hi-Y '47-Society '49; Dance Comm. '49; President '48; Inter-High Council Secretary '48; Intramurals '47, '48; Inter School Relations Chairman '49; Stud Coun. '49; Variety Show '48; Jr. Sr. Prom. Comm. '48; Honor '48-'49; Tacky Party Comm. '47

JOSEPH SANTINI

Joe

"Humility and fearlessness, Merits held high in a man."

RICHARD SCHAFER

Dick

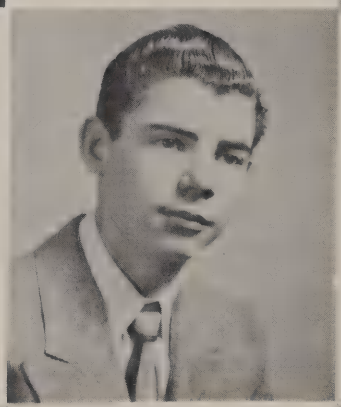
"Not by years, but by disposition Is wisdom acquired."

Rifle Team '47-'48; Band '47; Work Program '48-'49

NANCY SCHLOSSER

"Dimples in her cheeks, Happiness at its peak."

Glee Club '47; Art Club '4-'48



PAUL SCULLY

Scullie

"His quietness conceals a wit, That better known would make a hit."

Art Club '48; Intramurals '47-'48-'49; Track '48-'49

HERBERT SEHORN

Herbie

"O to be a bird, my lads, and live aloof from care."

Library Club '48-'49; Track '48; Work Program '48-'49

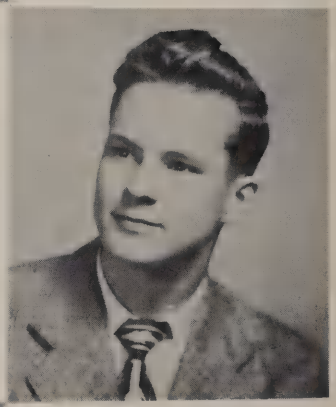
H. SEHORN

WILLIAM SETTLE

Bill

"Manner, not gold, Is man's best adornment."

Rifle Club '47; Photography Club '47; Intramurals '47; Treasurer of Class '47



BERTHA SHAPLEY

Bertie

"She was always fair and never proud, Sharp tongue at will, and never loud."

Silver Chips '48-'49; Silverlogue '49

FREDERICK SHARP

Fred

"Meet a boy who fits his name, Witty and fun in any game."

Work Program '48-'49

JOAN L. SHORT

"Her small courtesies, Sweeten life."

Intramurals '47; Soph. Social '47

Be good always. It's been swell being together. Hope we are always the best of friends. Good luck to a swell girl. Joan

FRANK SIMONS

"Always able, always willing, Fills any job that needs filling."

Legislature '47-'49; Intramurals '47-'48-'49; Order Committee '47; Homeroom Pres. '48; Baseball '47-'48-'49; Library Club '49; Variety Show '48; Jr. Sr. Prom Committee '48; Soph. Social '47

Best of Everything to a swell girl. Pal Marcy Simpson

MARGUERITE ELLEN SIMPSON

"Here's the gal with the flashing baton, Well sure miss Nancy when she's gone."

Tri-Hi-Y '47-'48-'49; Library Club '48-'49; Dance Committee '49; Majorettes '47-'48 Captain '49; Silver Chips '49; Silverlogue '47-'49; Photography Club '47; Soft Ball '47; Track Team '47

STANLEY SKAIFE

Stan

"Although he has a lot of wit, He's rather shy in using it."

Intramurals '48-'49

ROBERT SLABY

Bob

"It matters not how long you live, But how well."

Intramurals '48

PEGGY ANN SMALLWOOD

Peg

"Always laughing and full of fun, She is liked by everyone."

Dance Club '47; Card Club '47; Intramurals '47-48; Silver Chips 48-49

JULIAN SMITH

"Friendly but shy, a nice sort of guy."

ELIZABETH SMYTHE

Betty

"Be coy, but use your time, And while you may, be merry."

Dramatics '47-'48; Dancing Club '47; Intramurals '47-'48

RONALD SPANGENBERG

Ronnie

"He walked with crowds a little while, Lifting the world's heart with a smile."

Ramblers '47-'48; Band '47-'48-'49; Intramurals '47-'48-'48; Basketball & Baseball Manager '48

JEAN SPERATI

Jeannie

"Jean is a maiden petite, That means dainty, pretty, and sweet."

Lunch time on the home front

PATRICIA STEELE

Pat

"Here's a gal who's really neat, Fun and cute, she's quite a treat."

Dance Club '47; Silver Chips '47, '48, Managing Editor '49; Dance Committee '49; Tri-Hi-Y '48; Library Club '49; Legislature '49

MURIEL D. STERLING

"Her character and tastes are commended, As ability and modesty are blended."

Glee Club '48; Silverlogue '49

CHARLES E. STEVENS

Steve

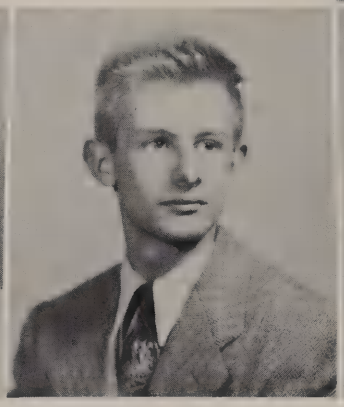
"Fun is his motto, And certainly he is a good fellow."

Work Program

JOAN M. STEWARD

Joanie

"The same yesterday now and forever, Always quiet calm and clever."



CHARLES STEWART

Richard

"Tis better to have lived merrily, Than never to have lived at all."

DOROTHY STOTLER

Poison

"Frequently quiet—very petite, My oh my-she sure is sweet."

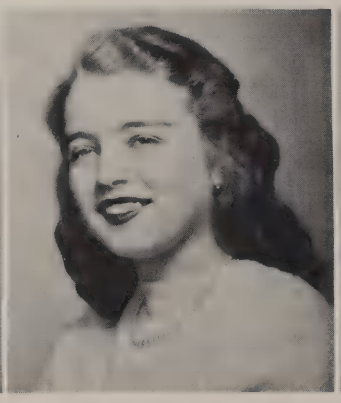
intramurals '47

BETTY C. SULLIVAN

B.C,

"Dark with lovely face and eyes, Witty is she—you won't deny."

Library Club '48, '49, Silverlogue '48, '49; Glee Club '47, '48; Ramblers '49



HILDA SWARTZ

"Merry as the summer sun, Happy and sweet to everyone."

Commercial Club '48, '49; Silver Chips '47, '48, '49; Vice President Homeroom '48.

ANNE SWAYZEE

"She is as wise as she is fair,
A credit to our dear old Blair."

Library Club '47, '49; Tri-Hi-Y '47, '48, '49; Cheerleaders '48; Captain '49; Chairman '49; Student Council '49; Glee Club '47; Homeroom Vice President '48; Honor Society '49; Variety Show '47, '48; Intramurals '47,, '48; Inter-County Student Council '49; Care Committee '49

GERALD A. SWINNERTON

Jerry

"It is good to be unselfish, And Generous."

Rifle Club '47, '48; Track '47, '48, '49; Intramurals '48

To Del
a real friend
and classmate
Bob

PAUL TAGGART, JR.

Junior

"Witty, smart and debonair, He's quite a character at "Monty'" Blair."

Silver Chips '47, '48; Boys' Sport Editor '49; "B" Club '48, '49; Library Club '48, '49; Automotive Club '47; Tennis '47, '48, '49; Basketball J. V. '47; '48, '49; Intramurals '47, '48; Homeroom President '47; School Publicity Manager for Football '49

WINFIELD TALLEY

"His warp of friendship and assistance, And never softened by a distance."

B.B.A. President '48, '49; Band '47, '48, '49; Intramurals '47, '48

The steps "up"

DELMAR TAYLOR

Del

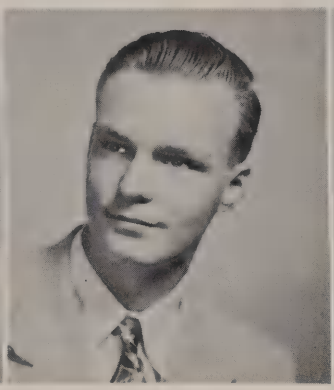
"Looked up to by many, this gent is tall, Popular and well liked by all."

Homeroom President '47, '48; Intramurals '47, '48, '49; Baseball '48; Silver Chips '48

JOANNE TAYLOR

"A bonnie lassie, tall and fair, with golden hair."

Tri-Hi-Y '47, '48, Treas. '49; Dramatics '47; Soph. Soc. '47; Silver Chips '48, Art Ed. '49; Dance Comm. '49; Ramblers '48, '49; Library Club '48, '49; Cafeteria Comm. '48; Hockey Team '47; Intramurals '47, '48; Variety Show Comm. '47



ROBERT TEALE

Bob

"Here's a guy with real ambition, Few things is he found a'missin!"

Intramurals '47; Photography Club '47; Visual Aids Club '48; Intramurals '48; Track '47, '48, '49

JOAN THAYER

Joan

"What sweet delight, A quiet life affords."

Here's hoping that every day will be a Thurs! Just for you girls
Howard

ROBERT THEOFIELD **Bobby**

"His pleasant voice and famous grin, Make us think a lot of him."

Library Club '48, '49; Football '47, '48, '49; "B" Club '48, '49; Baseball '47, '48, '49; Stud. Coun. '48; Pres Senior Class '49

LAWRENCE THOMAS

Larry

"Virtue and riches, Seldom settle one man."

Radio Club '47; Chess Club '47, Photography Club '48

JOANNE THRASHER

"She is a pretty little lass, One of the youngest in her class."

HOWARD TOWNSEND

Golden Boy

"Liked by the boys and their sisters as well."

Track Team '47; Manager '48, '49; Intramurals '47, '48; Variety Show '48; Biology Club '47, 48; HR. Treas. '47; Pres. '49; Orchestra '47, '48, '49; Aeronautic Club 47

WILMER TRAGESER

Will

"Stand not upon the order of our going, But go at once to succeed.

Intramurals '49; Photography Club '47; Card Club '47, Homeroom Vice-Pres. '49

EMMA TROXLER

Ronnie

"Willing to help with any task, All you have to do is ask."

Tri-Hi-Y '47, '48, '49; Library Club '47, '48, '49; Dance Committee '47; Assembly Committee '48, '49; Silver Chips '47; Dramatic Club '47; Intramurals '47; Honor Society '49; Soph. Party '47; Junior Party '48; Jr. Sr. Prom '48; Majorettes '48, '49

CAROL TURNER

Jeanie

"Let there be glory in your eyes, And peace within your heart."

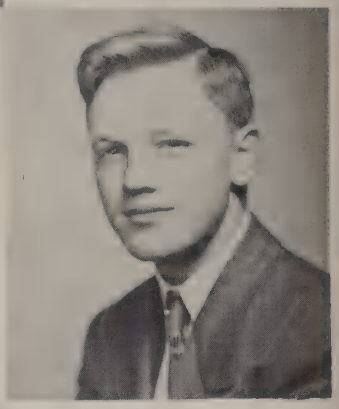
Homeroom Sec. '47; Intramurals '48; Dancing Club '47, '48

THOMAS C. VAN VRANKEN

Tom

"Now talk up and answer right, You know we think you're awfully bright."

Rifle Club '47, '48; Radio Club '47, 48



PRISCILLA VARNEY

Pris

"She is small and she is fair, And she is liked everywhere."

Ramblers '47; Legislature '47, '48; Tri-Hi-Y '48; Library Club '47, '48, '49; Homeroom Sec. '49; Tri-Hi-Y Sec. '49

NANCY VICKERS

Nan

"Her little motions are indeed very quaint, Yet they are the qualities of a saint."

Tri-Hi-Y '49; Library Club '49

RICHARD WALKER

Dixie

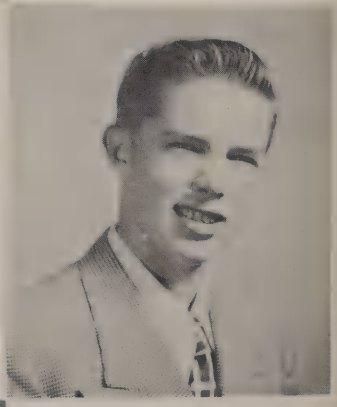
"More than once he has helped our team thru, But that isn't all he can do."

Football '47, '48, '49; Basketball J. V. '47; Track '48; Photography Club '47; Silverlogue '47; Student Council '48, '49; Silver Chips '48, '49

JAMES WALTERS

"A merry heart doeth good, Like an upright man."

Intramurals '47, '48; Tennis '47, '48; Conservation '47



WILLIAM WARD

Bill

"A truer friend could never be found."

Intramurals '49

Good luck
Bill Ward

ELIZABETH WASHBURN

Betty

"A daughter of the gods, Divinely tall, and most divinely fair."

Intramurals '47, '48

REED WEDDLE

"We salute him and it's no rumor He has a really swell sense of humor."

Rifle Club '47 '48, '49; Intramurals '47

NAN WEINMAN

"A sweet attractive kind of grace, So shines without her form and face."

Silver Chips '49, Hockey Team '49; Tri-Hi-Y '49

Lots of luck,
Nan Weinman

..ROBERT A. WELLER

Sandy

"Quite a vivacious guy is Sandy, At joking and fun he's really dandy."

PATRICIA WHEELER

Pat

"A winsome manner you won't deny, And that certain gleam within her eye."

Card Club '47; B.B.A. '48 Sec. '49; Silverlogue Literary Editor '49; Dancin gClub '47

GEORGE EDWARD WHITE

"A nice looking boy with manners keen, Someone who is heard and seen."

Intramurals '48, Homeroom Vice-Pres. '48

OLLIE C. WHITE

Cookie

"Beauty is power; A smile is it's sword."

Biology '47; Intramurals '47, '48; Soph. Social '47

PATRICIA WHITE

Pat

"With her school spirit Pat will win,, Don't we wish she had a twin."

Library Club '48, '49; Silver Chips '47, '48, Business Manager '49; Soph. Social '47; Intramurals '48

ROBERT B. WHITE

Bobby

"All in all a likeable guy, Really Sharp—you can't deny."

Intramurals '48

CAROLYN M. WHITT

Carol

"With a smile for every gal and guy, We hate for her to say goodbye."

Tri-Hi-y '47, '48, '49; Intramurals '48; Photography Club '47; Library Club '49; Quill & Scroll '48, '49; Silver Chips '47, '48, Soph. Social '47; Legislature '48, '49; Silverlogue '49; Dancing Club '47

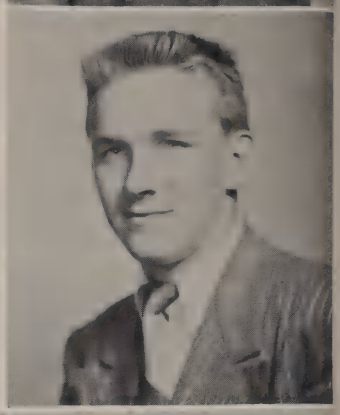
BETTY WILLIAMS

"Bewitching as the summer's glow, Sweet and lovely, that you know."

Carol Whitt

ROBERT WILLIAMS
Bob
"Act well your part, There all the honor lies."
Tennis Team '49; Silver Chips '49

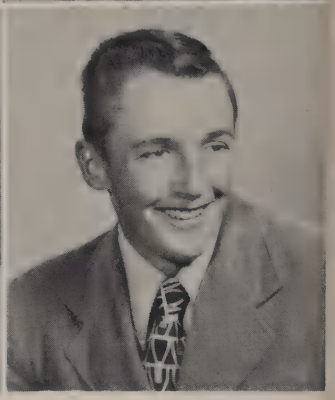
ROLAND L. WILLIAMS, JR.
"The man worth while, Is the man who can smile."
Intramuurals '47 '48



HELEN WILTSHIRE
Peaches . .
"Small, But so is a stick of dynamite."
Dancing Club '47, '48; Business Organization '49; Bank '49

ELLA WINGO
Rusty
"Lively chatter Ella's got, With many friends she's at the top."
Intramurals '47; Glee Club '47, '48; Visual Aides '48

WYNEETA WINN **Winnie**
"Happy go-lucky, fair and free, Nothing there is that bothers me."
Tri-Hi-Y '47, '48, '49; Library Club '49 Legislature '47; Photo. '47, '48; Soph. Soc. '47; Silverlogue '49; Dancing Club '47



ROBERT WOLFE **Bob**
"A wonder at Golf with a natural pride."
Intramurals '47, '48; Rifle Team '47, '48; '49; Golf Team '47, '49; Silver Chips '48; "B" Club '48; Work Program

SHIRLEY WOOTTEN
"If you need a friend or comrade dear, Always remember Shirley is here."
Dancing Club '47, '48; Bank '49; Soph. Social '47; Business Organization '49

JOAN G. WRIGHT
"Persuasive speech and more persuasive sighs,
Silence that speaks, and eloquence of eyes."
Dance Committee '48, '49; Drum Majorettes '48, '49; Silverlogue '49 Tri-Hi-Y '47, '48, '49

LOIS YOUNG **Lo**
"With eyes so dark and attractive grace,
A girl with beauty in her face."
Intramurals '48, Art Club '48, '49 Soph. Social '47; Visual Aids '47

PETER ZURAS **Pete**
"Fun, merriment, and song, Doth life prolong."
Rifle Team '47, '48, '49; Intramurals '47, '48, '49; Photo Club '47; Track Team '47, '48, '49; Silver Chips '48; Soph. Social '47; Care Comm. '49; Order Comm. '49; Library Club '49

The County Champions

Here's to the Seniors
Of Montgomery Blair High
Never will we break
Our friendship tie.

Though we may be separated,
And miles apart,
We'll never forget
Where we got our start;
Montgomery Blair High!

Ronnie Troxler

Seniors whose pictures are not shown

To my Tail
Steve Mixsell

William Brunner
Here's a friend who's up to par,
Man alive how he drives that car.

Edward Fairbanks
A very nice chap we all agree,
He's terrific with a capital T.

Allen Francis
Twinkling eyes and merry face,
A regular guy in any place.

Janice Lovre
A very sweet girl we'd like to know better
Get acquainted if you haven't met her.

Harold Maeder
Really swell though he's quiet,
A boy on top, you can't deny it.

Stephen Mixsell
A nice looking boy with a casual way,
One with humor that will never stray.

Sue Patton
Just wait till you hear that southern drawl,
And the darling manner when she says "you all."

Regina Thomas
For this nice girl we'll think of a rhyme,
She's sweet and happy all of the time.

Robert Thompson
One of our boys on the football team,
And with those drums he's really keen.

Alan Wilson
Say who is this fellow with such a friendly name?
If you don't know him, it's really a shame.

Betty Woodworth
Really an asset to good old Blair,
People seem to like her everywhere.

C. McHorney

We, the Senior Class of 1949 of Montgomery Blair High School, bequeath to the "Countless students who follow in our footsteps", our entire possessions, acquired through many years of worldly experience, and we hope that they will accept the same with the proper humility and regard due one of superior authority and intellect.

ARTICLE ONE

Section 1: Bob Alexander hereby bequeaths the right of the Presidency of the student body to anyone who might have the honor of being elected and who would generously contribute his time in fulfilling his duties.

Tom Eesley freely gives his knowledge of ships and sailing to Ben Bordeaux.

Muriel "Mo" Sandifer contributes her "A" average to Phyllis Harrison.

Don Markle leaves his ability to get along with people, and his famous ears to Dick Batman.

Chuck Richards wills his place on the basketball court to Ray Luckett.

Section 2: Betty Pemberton and Betty Gleim will to Evelyn Bean and Vivian Cherrix their positions on the hockey team, hockey sticks, and bruises.

Jerry Bean inherits Bill "Baldy" Mess' pile of junk surrounding a motor, loosely described as a car.

Anne Swayzee leaves her pleasing personality and "do or die spirit" to Sara Pryor.

Bob Teale wills his ability to sing in operettas to "Bernie" Cochran

Lee Koetzle leaves his flashy cars and sporty clothes to Kenneth Combs.

Joyce Darby gives the pictures and pages of "Silver Chips" and the worries that go with them to the Junior who becomes next year's editor.

Sylvia Reed bequeaths her ability to unite "Chicks and Chaps" to a person with equal ability.

Bobby Cushman wills his smooth line with the girls to Bob Herdtfelder.

Robert Jones leaves his quiet and unassuming ways to Harry Ingram.

Section 3: The act announcer Roland "Bones" Jones contributes his early morning P. A. programs to anyone who might be slightly unsound of mind.

We will to the Sophs the right to become Juniors and the privilege of thinking that they are better than the Seniors.

Section 4: Jerry Swinnerton leaves his gift of composing poems and songs to Sydney Hepler.

Joe Miller bequeaths his l'il black book filled with phone numbers of his "one and onlys" to Ronald Witt.

Gay De Nike givevs her stylish wardrobe to Joyce Duvall, who doesn't particularly need it, but who welcomes it just the same.

Warren Russell leaves his good sportsmanship attitude to Charles "Chuck" Armstrong and Bill Larimore.

Dorcas McLaughlin bequeaths her ability to play the flute to Nancy Stang.

ARTICLE TWO

Section 1: Ed Camus wills his many wisecracks to Tommy Ridgeway.

John Redmond leaves his heckling of the coaches to someone bold enough to carry on.

Richard Dixon leaves his imitations of imbeciles and morans to any lunatic who may by chance be a senior next year.

Tom Van Vranken gives his ability and speed to copy homework from others to Don Bell.

Section 2: Jim Booth leaves his outstanding ability in mechanical drawing to Fred White.

Helen Brennan bequeaths the right to sell "Blair" Hotdogs to Elsie May Bevan.

Bill Furlow gladly relinquishes his duty as president of the Visual Aids club to Bob Massey, and Jimmy Hagberg.

Baynard "Hot Cinders" Cherrix leaves his ability to run the four-forty to Bill Chapin.

Mary Raines leaves her sweet smile to Nancy Clagett.

ARTICLE THREE

Section 1: Lawrence Thomas leaves behind his love for radios and their mechanics to another mad technician.

Vic Jungk passes on his athletic ability to Bob Pease.

Eileen Collins and Joan Haney endow Lu Anne Walker and Joan Baker with their certain secret of making friends.

Allen Francis bequeaths his curly hair to Johnny Eaggleton

Dick Roberts and Reed Weddle present to any Junior and Sophomore the right to become a "chain" smoker.

Charlie James bequeaths his "finger in every pie" ability to Pat Parkman.

Section 2: Bob Merrick contributes his Spanish grades to any struggling Junior who may need them next year.

Jenny Coe and Ronnie Troxler will their extreme friendliness to Dotty Shepard and Joanne Wyatt.

Walter De Groot presents his "tough schedule" of three periods of shop to any junior who can operate a saw.

Ricky Harrison relinquishes his ability to play outstanding football to Eddie Argerake and Lloyd Smoot.

Ronald Spangenberg leaves his silent and serious minded ways to Dick Fene.

Section 3: Joan Evans leaves behind that twinkle in her eye when she passes certain boys in the hall to Barbara Monoghan.

Frank Lupac and Frank Simons relinquish to any juniors the right to talk in class while the teacher is talking, providing they can get away with it.

Helen "Peaches" Wiltshire leaves her cute grin to Betty Ballard. Harry Carroll and Dick Cole gladly relinquish their struggling efforts in physics to Carl Signell and Buddy Dewhirst.

Elton "Sonny" Fay leaves behind his various cartoons of what the effects of tobacco do to the body to Phil Hamilton, in warning.

ARTICLE FOUR

Section 1: Joyce Atkinson and Priscilla Ridge will all their wonderful times at State Chorus to Marie Kramer and Sally Cameron.

George Candish leaves his public speaking ability to Bill Diedrich. Louise Hanson is heiress to Natalie Eck's piano ability.

Alan English sorrowfully parts with his chemistry book that Major Williams might also enjoy it.

David Feldman bequeaths his genius in physics to Bernard Shannon. Pat Frasier's fluent Spanish is left to Wayne Sherell.

Phil Hurwitz is heir to Dave Gardner's various techniques concerning the girls and loafing.

Section 2: Pat Hamilton gives her position in drum majorettes to Pat Sullivan.

Joan Hedgecock generously donates her stimulating personality and red hair to Ann Musselwhite.

Joan Hover leaves her neat appearance to Carol Whittauer.

Pat Lamb's bass voice is bequeathed to George Kennebeck.

John Linton finally decided to pass on his red hair and freckles to Ricky Waters.

Tucker Morris is the lucky heir to Don Lashley's "Casanova" ways.

Barbara Bowie is heiress to Barbara MacCollum's cute looks.

Ted McGowen's "hot rod" is left to Leigh Bowie.

Section 3: The question barrage, so characteristic of Joe McIntosh, is passed on to Jay Kendig.

"CARE" responsibilities are bequeathed to Ann Williams by Audrey Merriam.

Ray Musselwhite and Ed Robins give Mrs. Sherry some of their many artistic talents, to be different.

Gordon North passes on his trumpet and its lovely (?) notes to Mabel Vickers.

Lucille Ovendon finally consented to leave her record collection to Donna Jean Burkley.

That pretty smile of Lu Dean Peterson's is willed to Sue Mitchell.

The recipient of those "Fred Sharp wise cracks" is "Buddy" Curbow.

Bertha Shapely will let Nancy Kendrick acquire her A's and B's.

Frankie Farrar is heiress to Betty Smythe's witticisms.

C. McHorney

ARTICLE FIVE

Section 1: Those childish pranks of Dan Duff's are left to Tommy Keller.

Charles Gaither wills his good disposition to Charles Crum even though Charlie doesn't need it.

"That innocent look" of Andy Russo's is bequeathed to Mike Edwards.

Paul Taggert, "sports columnist", wills his appearance of a hard workin' man to Jack Grassello.

Joanne Taylor and Nancy Vickers pass on their cuteness to Louise Bowman and Joyce Kidwell.

Delmar Taylor wills his unassuming ways to Herbie Lacy.

Bob Theofield passes on his magnetic personality to the next senior President.

The "crew cut" characteristic of Roland Williams is left to Bernie Foy.

The lucky recipient of Dick Walker's all around sportsmanship is Percy Goode.

Section 2: The gift of gab which is so much a part of Carol Whitt is bequeathed to Janet Frocke.

Bob Appleby and Pete Zuras pass on their patronage of Murphys to Jim Corsini and Chuck Cummings.

Don Armiger leaves his mighty physique to B. B. Smith.

Sid Butler leaves his forever-worried look to Fred Schelm.

John Campbell wills his many and varied talents to Don Praisner.

The yearbook and all its trials and tribulations is the gift of Brearley Carroll to next year's editor.

That extra share of cuteness that is Joan Dodson's is passed on to Betty Howard.

Johnnie Ford wills his sharp looking clothes to Jack Evans.

The center position on the football team is left by John Kennedy to Dick Loller.

Section 3: Dave Kreh wills his nice tenor voice to Nick Lee.

Janie Krouse bequeaths her dimples to Audrey Soderstrom.

The art of saying "you all" is left by Betty La Mont to Millie Layton.

Pat Leef gives her vim and vigor to Ruth Bauman.

Shirley Robbins leaves her excellent grades and wit to Mickey Robbins.

Pat Steele bequeaths her art of making friends to Eleanor Wood.

Nancy Simpson presents the drum majorettes to anyone who can lead them as well as she can.

That wide grin of Joe Santini's is left to Bill Stubbs.

Jimmy Walters leaves those pretty blue eyes to Herschel Forcey.

Bob Wolf's golf techniques are left to his cousin Eugene, who, we know will put them to good use.

ARTICLE SIX

Section 1: Nancy Leahy gives her ability to get along with the teachers to Lois Berry.

Danny Lyons wills his approach to the girls to Joe Frankeberger.

Dave Mann donates all of his weight (plus) to Clarke Stout.

Sam Moore presents his large feet to John Miller.

Joan Hattersly passes on her blond hair to Marian Diedrich.

Section 2: Helen Harvercutter wills her wonderful dimples to Betty Lou Edmonds.

Lou Ann Leighton wills her sharp shorthand to Carol Bauer.

Pris Varney leaves her teaching ability to Janice Patton.

Jessie Pickett bequeaths her expressive eyes to Dotty Reagh.

Toy Aswell and Betty Washburn will their combined talents of humor and Spanish to anyone who can speak English.

Joe Robert leaves.

And last of all, the class of '49, now takes leave of its Alma Mater, which has been its home for these many years, carrying with it fond memories and . . . reminiscences that will not soon be forgotten.

Calendar

SEPTEMBER 10	Back to School Dance
SEPTEMBER 13	First Day of School
OCTOBER 6	Book Dance
OCTOBER 18	Fashion Show
OCTOBER 29	Hallowe'en Dance
NOVEMBER 20	Blair-Bethesda Football Game
NOVEMBER 26	Thanksgiving Formal
DECEMBER 8	Basketball Season Opens
DECEMBER 17	Care Dance
DECEMBER 27	Christmas Formal—Queen Crowned
JANUARY 7	Junior Farmer Party
JANUARY 28	Senior Baby Party
FEBRUARY 19	Sweater Dance
MARCH 5	Intercounty Council Dance (at Rockville)
MARCH 25	Vice Versa Dance
FIRST OF APRIL	Variety Show
APRIL 29	Spring Dance
EARLY IN MAY	Senior Play
MAY 7	Library Club Banquet
MAY 13	"B" Club Slumber Party
JUNE 19	Baccalaureate
JUNE 21	Graduation
JUNE 21	Farewell Dance
JUNE 22	Last Day of School

UNDERCLASSMEN

Signatures:

D - is for the darling that you are
K - is your enchanting way
h - is just the loony guy you are.

D.

To one of the nicest guys I knew
Francine

The "seconds" in the band

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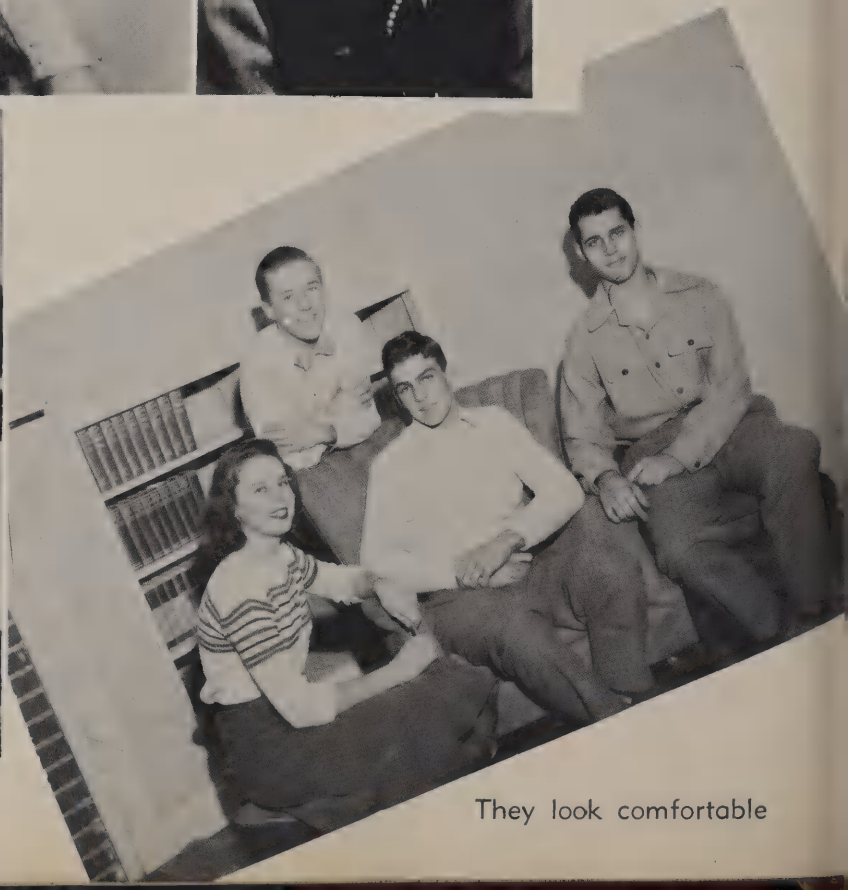

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"Jerry"

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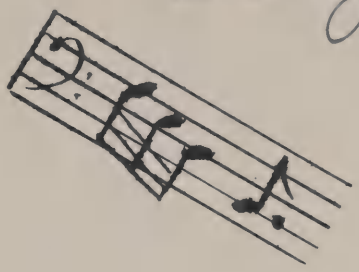

I am the music of many feet
On stair, in room, or hall;
I am the sound of voices heard
Answering when I call.
I am the beat of a hurrying heart
Outreaching to someone who waits
At the end of a class to say "Hello."
I am laughter, and dances and dates.

Like a fluted note, high-hung with joy,
I fling my melody free
To be caught in the heart of girl and boy
And sung in the echoes of he and she
When lessons are ended at half past three.

I'm Friendships spelled with a capital F;
I'm the dreams that are made down the years;
And then, lest my theme too monotonous grow
I'm a few—just a very few—tears.

I am hallways grown quiet with long summer days
When classrooms seem vacant and strange.
There's a deep cello note for my loneliness now
When my theme is of silence and change.

They may go from my halls but they stay in my heart.
They are mine, and I cherish them long
I am Youth and its days—its moods and its ways—
I am all of Blair atmosphere woven to song.

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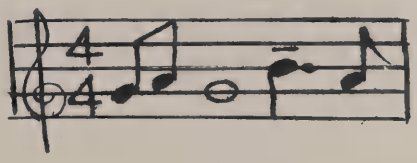

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This year's Silverlogue staff, under the leadership of Brearley Carroll editor, and Mrs. Alma E. Marshall, sponsor, has striven all year to produce the best Blair year book in the school's history. Matter of fact, work was begun in the Spring of 1948. Verses for seniors, senior write-ups, teacher's write-ups, pictures, pictures and more pictures were needed. Even with the long hours and hard work, all of the staff members agreed it was fun and they hope the product was well worthwhile. Mr. Ernest Rhodes helped with the pictures.

In 1948 Silverlogue was rated third place in the contest of the Columbia Scholastic Press Association, in which 400 books competed.

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Music as they get it . . .

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The Silver Chips Staff went to New York this spring, and attended the Columbia Scholastic Press Association Convention where they received second place for the 1947-48 editions of the paper, first place for 1948-49.

Ten issues were printed this year. The sponsor was Mrs. Lucille L. Moler.

The Student Council . . . . .

Left to Right—Top Row: Betty Howard, Lee Koetzle, George Candish, John Linton, Dick Walker, Don Markle, Sara Pryor. **Second Row:** Bette Gill, Victor Jungk, Bob Alexander, Mr. Zimmerman, Joyce Duvall, Bill Larimore. **Third Row:** Muriel Sandifer, Ann Swayzee, Pat Leef.

The aim of the Student Council this year was to better relations between the Students and the Student Council and to make the Council a stronger and more democratic organization.

Led by the president, Bob Alexander; vice-presideot, Victor Jungk; secretary, Joyce Duvall; and treasurer, Bill Larimore, the Council revised the constitution and worked on the War Memorial. The Council also endeavored to improve relations with other high schools in the County.

Commiittee Chairmen:

Dance . . . . . Anne Swayzee
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and its Committees . . . . .

DANCE

WELFARE

MONOGRAM

CARE

ELECTION

ORDER

of workers set the tempo . . . .

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ASSEMBLY

The Legislature too . . .

1st Row: Left to Right—Lee Koetzle, Jerry Thompson, Bill Mager, Bob Sperry, Jean Heffner, Pat Steele, Marilyn Leonhardt, Patsy Bomgardner, Elizabeth Smith, Jo Be Moore, Mickey Robbins.
2nd Row: Left to Right—Vic Jungk, Frank Simmons, Ray Luckett, Bob Cushman, Evelyn Bean, Bob Massey, Silvia Reed, Janis Patton, Carol Whitt, Marilyn Archer, Dottie Shepard, Lorene Ladd.
3rd Row: Left to Right—Jimmy Foster, Pete Harris, Vernon Taylor, Jimmy Corsini, Bill Diedrich, Johnny Riley, Herbie Morrison.

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10- 7	John Riley	11- 4	Evelyn Bean	12- 1	Frank Simons	12- 7	Carol Whitt
10- 8	Bill Schmidtman					12- 8	Jimmy Foster

Victor Jungk
The President,

Its purpose was to act on ideas brought from the students, and to furnish legislation for the school. The president of the Legislature was the vice-president of the Student Council, Vic Jungk, and the members of this branch include a representative from each homeroom. The officers appointed their committee members.

The Legislature handled the Fashion Show and Football Tickets, and formulated the policy for behavior before and during football games.

It suggested that hosts and hostesses be selected for each table in the cafeteria. Mr. Leonard Oass was the sponsor.

Mr. Leonard Oass
Sponsor

The Library Club, served well

TEACHERS AND OFFICERS

President
Muriel Sandifer

JUNIORS

SENIORS

INITIATION

HARDWORKERS

Vice-President . . . Joan Hover
Secretary . . . . . Percy Goode
Treasurer . . . . . Don Markle

The main event of this club was the annual banquet. They went to the Baltimore Library Meeting and added to their laurels by lending a helping hand whenever needed. Miss Elizabeth Stickley, librarian, was sponsor.

Miss Elizabeth Stickley

And there was music . . .

BAND

ORCHESTRA

Concert Mistress. . . . . Dorcas McLaughlin
Concert Master. . . . . Gordon North

The orchestra really did a good job this year. Walking by the gym 5th period one heard it practicing the music which it played very well at the fashion show, on radio programs, on Memorial Day, and at the school assemblies. Several of the members attended the State Orchestra Convention at Baltimore again.

MR. HARRISON MESEROLE,
Director

The Band, along with the Majorettes, played an active part in Blair's activities. It helped us to cheer on our team at the football games and pep rallies. It played in the Silver Spring Avenue Parade of Progress, the Hallowe'en Parade at Gaithersburg, and at the Woodmore and Wheaton Shopping Center opening. It was invited to Pennsylvania and to Winchester.

Our Majorettes, in Action and Splendor

Nancy Simpson
Captain

1st Row: Audrey Sodestrom, Sue Scotten, Betty Collins, Diane Haney, Mickie Layman, Lulu Hogan, Martha Smith, Mickie Robbins, Betty Lu Sampson, Fay Combs.

Mr. Roy De Lauder
Sponsor

Top Row: Miriam Thompson, Lorene Ladd, Amiee Lou Johannas, Virginia Rice, Betty Howard, Francis Farrar, Pat Hamilton, Marlita Scott, Joan Wright.
First Row: Emma Troxler, Joan Hattersley, Nina Bailey, Judy Thompson, Tap Hubbel, Betty Simpson, Sidney Hepler, Sally Ann Baer, Dottie Shepard, Joyce Duvall, Jenny Coe.

The New Flags,
Blair-Bethesda Game

The Tri-Hi-Ys

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Sponsor
MISS JEAN BAKER

SENIOR

The seniors started the year with a bang up hayride and their pace never slowed. They were always glad to lend a helping hand to the Junior and Sophomore groups.

JUNIOR

President
ELEANOR WOOD
Vice-President
JANICE PATTON
Secretary
NINA BAILEY
Treasurer
AUDREY SODERSTROM
Sergeant-at-Arms
HELEN BLANCHE
Delegate
BETTY HOWARD
Chaplain
ANN GUMMEL
Sponsor
MRS. EMILY HOLLOWAY

The Juniors this year organized the Bunny Sock Hop.

SOPHOMORE

President
DOT MOSELY PAT BEAM
Vice-President
JO LEWELLEN BEA SHAW
Secretary
MARY McCASLIN FAY COMBS
Treasurer
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MICKEY ROBBINS
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Sergeant-at-Arms
CHARLOTTE JAMES NANCY HIRST
Delegates
PEGGY HOLT LEE JOSEPH

and The Senior Hi-Ys

President
GEORGE CANDISH
Vice-President
JIMMY FOSTER
Secretary
DONALD LASHLEY
Treasurer
DICK WALKER
Councilman
VICTOR JUNGK
Chaplain
JOHN BROOKBANK
Sponsor
MR. JOHN BASTA

The purpose of this club was to promote good fellowship and to be of service to the school and community.

Christian living is its ideal.

ART CLUB

President . . . . . Ann Craig
Vice-President . . . . Jimmy Denny
Secretary, Treasurer—
Nancy Davis

The club aided the school by making posters, and members working on projects of their own, which were displayed in an exhibit. Trips were taken to the Art Galleries of Washington. Mrs. Faye Sherry was sponsor.

BANK

President . . . . . Tommy Prevo
Vice-President . . . . . Pat Beall
Cashier . . . . . John Kennedy
Assistant Cashier . . Mary Raines

They studied money, credit, and banking systems. Bookkeeping was a requirement for members. They handled all savings accounts for students, teachers and the school. Mrs. Jane Lear was the sponsor.

B. B. A.

President . . . . . Winifield Tally
Secretary . . . . . Pat Wheeler
Program Chairman—
Catherine Reinhart
Treasurer . . . . . Donnie Rissler

The "Blair Born Again Club" is in its second year. Meetings were held twice a week. Once in the school for business and once at night for Christian fellowship and Bible Study. The sponsor was Miss Carrie Robey.

CHORAL UNIT

Librarian
BERNARR SHANNON

The State Chorus served those who were interested in and enjoyed singing. Its purpose was to learn techniques of choral singing, to develop voices, and provide service for school and Community programs. Miss Mary Cross was the director.

COMMERCIAL CLUB

President . . . . . Betty La Mont
Vice-President . . . . Dora Lawson
Secretary . . . . . Jenny Coe
Treasurer . . . . . Betty Gilson

This was a group of commercial students who typed, duplicated, and aided the teachers in mimeographing.

DRAMATIC CLUB

President . . . . . Nick Lee
Vice-President . . . . Betty Smythe
Secretary . . . . . Keith Donnellan
Treasurer . . . . Carolyn Woolard

This group was to give students a chance to improve dramatic ability and to entertain at assemblies in the school. A shadow play was given at Christmas. Miss Mary Silvey and Mr. Carl Bell were the sponsors.

HOME EC CLUB

President . . . . . Irene Faina
Secretary . . . . . Clare Randlett
Treasurer . . . . . Marian Diedrich

Under the sponsorship of Mrs. Henrietta Hinken and Mrs. Patricia Wright a large group of Blair girls formed this club. The most ambitious project of the year was the sale of hot dogs at the football games.

PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB

President . . . . . Fred White
Vice-President . . . . . Harry Stine
Secretary--Treasurer—
Gene Aldous

The members of this club had meetings to discuss new and different phases of photography. Much of their work was done in the dark room. One of their projects was to sell pictures of various school groups. Mr. Ernest Carl Bell was the sponsor.

RAMBLERS

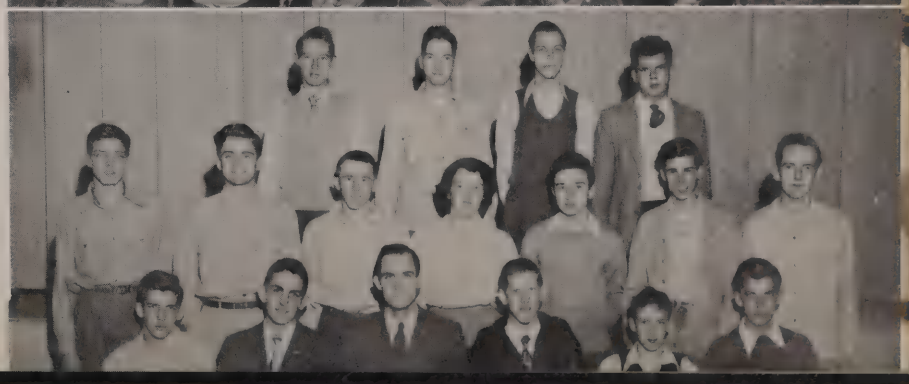
President . . . . . Ed Camus
Vice-President . . . . David Power
Secretary . . . . . Natalie Eck
Treasurer . . . . . Joan Evans

During the year they sponsored a number of bake sales, went on a weekend trip to Williamsburg, and attended Constitution Hall and the movies as a group. Mr. Robert Bell was the sponsor.

VISUAL AIDS

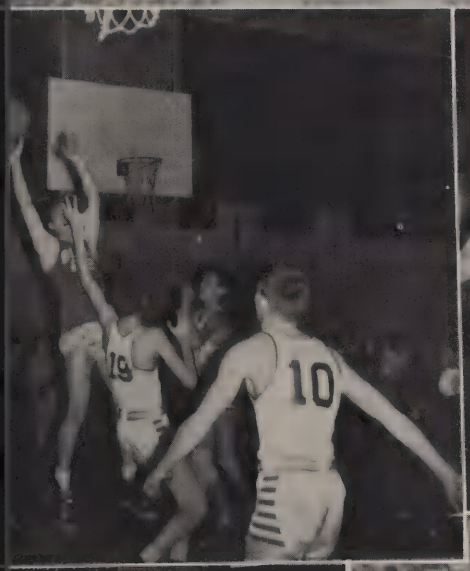
President . . . . . William Furlow
Vice-President . . Robert Puryear
Secretary and Treasurer—
Dick Batman

The purpose of this club was to license operators for the use of visual aids equipment. Mrs. Alma Marshall and Mr. John Scott were the sponsors.



ATHLETICS

To a swell pal and a

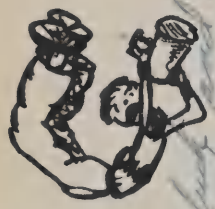


BLAIR

Sang the song of Victory . . .

Top Row: Left to Right—Bill Diedrich, Priscilla Ridge, Sue Mitchell, Don Markle, Carolyn Whittauer, Joan Baker, Sandy Weller.

First Row: Left to Right—Barbara MacCollum, Joan Hedgecock, Anne Swayzee, Gay DeNike, Joan Hover.



Cheerleaders

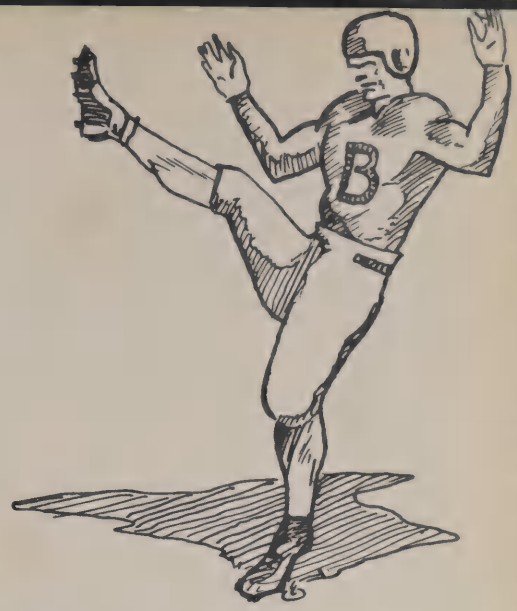
Fight Team Fight! The cheerleaders were there, everywhere, inspiring our teams to greater achievements. The captain was Anne Swayzee and the sponsor was Mr. Robert Maguire. All in all, they did a fine job upholding Blair's reputation.

SPONSOR,
Mr. Robert McGuire

THE NEW 1949
CHEER

STEP ON THE STARTER
Step on the starter,
Put her in low,
Come on Blair,
Let's go, let's go.

for . . .



'49 Edition of the Blazers

THE MEN WHO LEAD THEM

Mr. Reno Continetti
Head Coach

Mr. Anthony Creme
Assistant Coach

Mr. Stanley Kulakowski
Assistant Coach

The Blazers were off to a fair start in their fourth season, winning two of their first four games. Then the Blair eleven "lowered the boom" on the next four teams, scoring **115** points to their opponents **45.**

At last the big day arrived, with Blair as the underdog. What's this??? The Blazers **upset** the Barons by a narrow margin of 33 to 6. Our eleven pushed the Bethesda eleven from one end of the field to the other.

This game ended a successful season of seven wins and two losses, and it gave the Blazers the Montgomery County Championship.

SCHEDULE

	Opponent	Blair	Date
*TECH	19	0	9-18-48
FAIRFAX	13	20	9-25-48
*WESTMINSTER	14	25	10- 2-48
*ST. JOHN'S	6	19	10- 9-48
*GONZAGA	24	7	10-16-48
ROCKVILLE	19	25	10-23-48
FREDERICK	7	39	11- 5-48
*HAGERSTOWN	13	26	11-11-48
†BETHESDA	6	33	11-20-48

* Home Games † University of Maryland

Best Wishes to the Blazers of 1950

Best of Luck to the Blazers from:

Chuck Richards
Eddie Robins
Bob Cushman
Ricky Harrison
Bob Sheffield
John Kennedy
Bill Mess
Sid Butler
Dick Lungk
Walt Chamblin
Dick Walker
John Perkins
J. H. Ford.

First Row: B. Grutzik, D. Freas, J. Daley, Williams, H. Forcey, L. Smith, R. Keller. **Second Row:** Mr. Reno Continetti, H. Ingram, B. Theofield, B. Frenzel, R. Luckett, C. Richards, J. Davis, E. Robins, R. Harrison, J. Kennedy, B. Mess, B. Cuhman, Mr. Stanley S. Kulakowski, Mr Anthony A. Creme. **Third Row**: Harris L. Smoot, S. Butler. F. Everett, E. Argerake, D. Fene, Bill Foy, V. Jungk, D. Toller, J. Ford, Lavin, T. Ridgeway. **Fourth Row:** F. Forward, Hunterman, Bernie Foy, Prince, Gossage, K. Pittman, B. Chapin, Tucker, C. Matthews, B. Larimore, M. Wootten, Johnson, D. Walker.

Chuck Richards
Captain of Fairfax game
Right End

Dick Walker
Quarterback and Fullback

John Ford
Tail back

Bob Theofield
Wingback
Captain of Fredrick game

Vic Jungk
Right Guard

John Perkins
Wingback

John Kennedy
Center
Co-Captain of Bethesda game

Tom Ridgeway

Bill Mess
Quarterbaack
Captain of St. Johns game

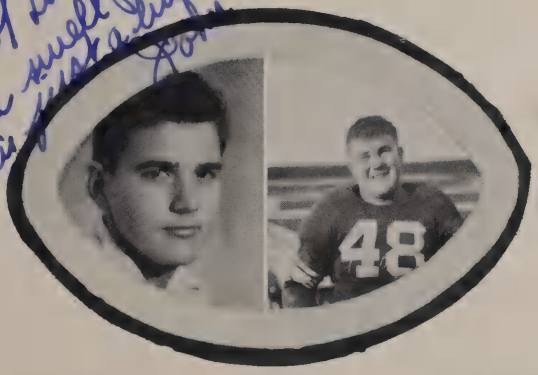
Ricky Harrison
Left Guard
Captain of Tech game
Co-Captain of Bethesda game

When you drink a cup of Beer remember B.U.R
Ed A. Ro
Bumper good luck

Ed Robins
Left Tackle
Captain of Westminster game

Lots of luck
To a swell guy
who is just a little wild.
John Kennedy

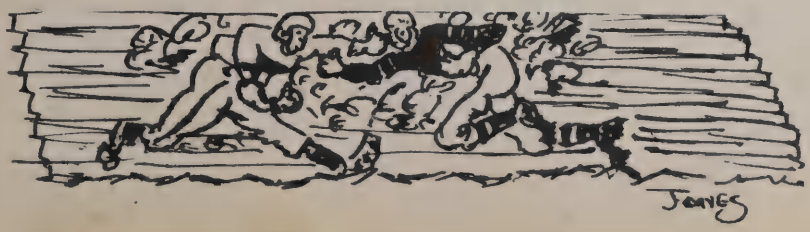
Bob Cushman
Fullback
Capt. of Gonzaga game



John Kennedy

Ricky Harrison

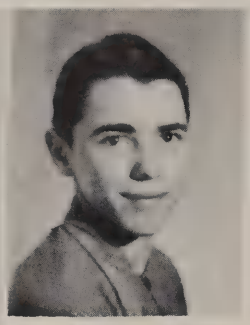
Walt Chamblin
Right Guard
Capt. of Hagerstown game



These boys deserve a song

Basketball

Ed. Chapin
Captain



Ronald Spangenberg
Manager

1948-49 BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Opponents	Score	Blair
Priory	25	39
Hyattsville	39	40
Dematha	31	50
Fairfax	34	76
W. & L.	47	41
Alumni	37	43
Annapolis	39	45
Gonzaga	46	43
Friends	24	51
Roosevelt	25	46
B. C. C.	27	28
St. Johns	40	42
Fairfax	33	72
Bladensburg	35	46
B. C. C.	37	31
Gonzaga	34	31
Central	46	41
Annapolis	29	63
Bell	48	73
Frederick	44	51
B. C. C.	33	35
Gonzaga	54	52
Hyattsville	46	30

Blair-Bethesda Game

COUNTY CHAMPIONS

1st Row—N. Wooten, B. Schief, W. Mason B. Williams, C. Diffanbaugh, Coach Creme. **2nd Row**—T. Ridgeway, B. Larimore, R. Luckett, E. Chapin, J. Linton, T. Watlington. **3rd Row**—M. Parsons, C. Richards, J. Downs, B. Tompkins.

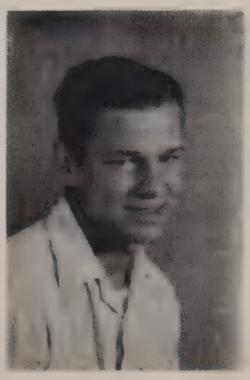
We'll be singing to this team next year

1st row: Herschel Forcey, Dick Bartlett, Jack Evans, Jimmy Daly, Dick Stock **2nd row:** Phil Smith, Kenneth Pittman, Bob Floyd, Donald Parkman, Bob Mayberry.

J. V. Team

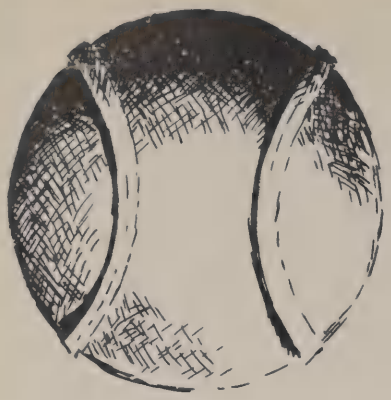
1948-49 BASKETBALL TEAM

This year's basketball team was one of the best in Blair's history. They won the Montgomery County Championship by defeating Bethesda in two out of three tries. Out of twenty three games we won sixteen and lost seven. The Blazers were entered in the Star and State Tournaments. This was truly a proud season to look back upon.



Hershel Forcey
Captain

Bob Mayberry
Manager



Baseball

1948 BASEBALL SCORES

Opponent	Score	Blair
WESTERN	7	5
COOLIDGE	8	1
FRIENDS	2	16
W & L	5	4
TECH	5	6
HAGERSTOWN	5	6
BETHESDA	2	6
FREDERICK	6	2
GAITHERSBURG	4	10
BLADENSBURG	5	18
BETHESDA	13	2
GEORGETOWN PREP	0	4
FAIRFAX	6	5

1948 BASEBALL TEAM

1949 BASEBALL TEAM

1949 BASEBALL SCORES

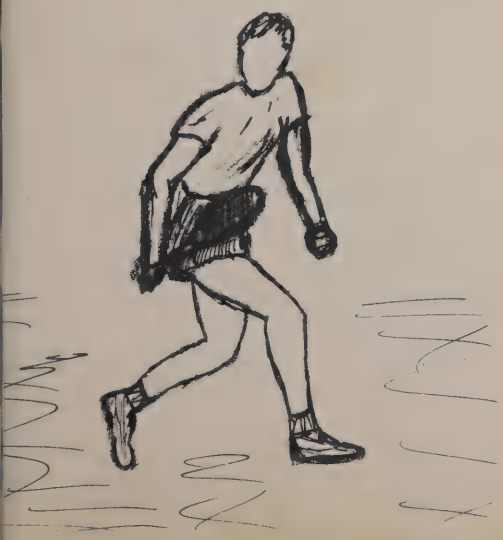
Opponent	Score	Blair
HAGERSTOWN	6	3
WESTERN	1	0
W & L	10	0
COOLIDGE	15	5
BETHESDA	2	1
WILSON	3	2
BETHESDA	2	3
FREDERICK	2	12
ST. JOHN'S	5	7
GONZAGA	0	3
GAITHERSBURG	2	4
GEORGETOWN PREP	4	5

1st Row—B. Wolfe C. James, R. Dixon, B. Foy, H. McLaughlin, D. Lyons, D. Fergerson.

Golf

Tennis

1st Row—R. Morris, Levim, R. Peucker. **2nd Row**—J. Sanbomon, B. Williams.

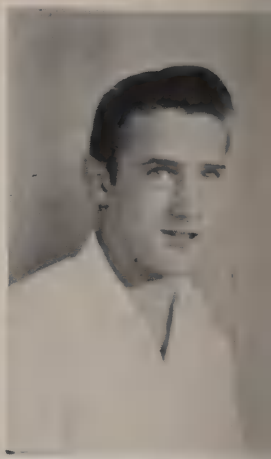


Track

Ed Camus
Mgr. Track

Opponent	Blair	Score ('48)
ROOSEVELT	16	55
COOLIDGE	31	60
WILSON MEET	0	
STATE MEET	1-1/3	
BLADENSBURG	30	50

Rifle



Don Lashley
Mgr. Rifle

First Row—Left to Right: Miss June Lippy, Lee Joseph, Lee Alsip, Shirley Hawkins, Teresa Junghans, Diana Fjelstead. **Second Row:** Virginia Burdick, Alice Warfield, Betty Gleim, Sue Mitchel, Luanne Walker. **Third Row:** Pat Beam, Nancy McInnerney, Mable Vickers, Charlotte Bergman, Beverly Huntt, Vivian Cherrix, Charlene Bockett, Jean Lohr, Salley Shanklin.

Captain
BETTY GLEIM

Basketball

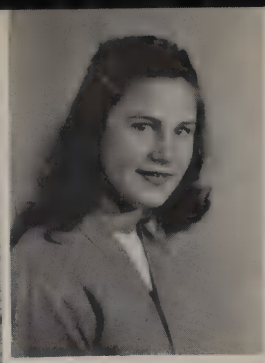
This year the Montgomery Blair Girls' Basketball team had an early start in the fall. The team was mostly composed of new material—sophomores. Paving the way for the new members were two seniors and four juniors from previous years. Coach June Lippy spent many tiring sessions of practice with her team teaching the basic fundamentals for the newcomers. The double dribble was introduced into girls' basketball this year, making the game a little more exciting. This year's scores have shown more consistency in the pattern of playing than has heretofore been in evidence. The season has not been one to our liking, but the team has shown more improvement than recent years. Natalie Eck, as manager, took care of all minor details and the team was captained by Betty Gleim. Because of the new members, the team showed greater hope for future years.

Coach
MISS JUNE LIPPY

		Opponent		Blair
January	7	*Sherwood	16	15
	11	Rockville	24	23
	14	Annapolis	28	20
	18	*Fairfax	13	31
	21	Hyattsville	17	16
	25	Bladensburg	28	23
	28	Sherwood	23	18
February	1	*Rockville	31	24
	4	Bethesda	40	9
	15	Hyattsville	26	32
	18	Fairfax	15	20
	22	*Annapolis	18	19
	25	Bethesda	37	19
March	1	*Bladensburg	20	19

*Home games

Manager
NATALE ECK



Betty Gleim
Captain

Sally Curry
Manager

		Opponent		Blair
October	12	*Annapolis	1	0
	15	Fairfax	3	1
	22	*Bethesda	0	0
	26	Annapolis	2	0
	29	*Bladensburg	1	1
November	1	Bethesda	1	2

* Home games

Hockey

First Row: Betty Gleim, Margy Hardee, Dorothy Richardson, Sue Mitchell, Joan Membert, Laura Soule, Bea Shaw. **Second Row:** Alice Warfield, Vivian Cherrix, Ruth Bauman, Evelyn Bean, Nancy McInnerney, Nan Wienman. **Third Row:** Sally Curry, Barbara Bagby, Nancy Pederson, Betty Gene Collier, Sergene Benson, Dorothy Hanlon, Charlotte Bergmann, Miss Jean Baker.

Miss Jean Baker
Coach

With a clash of hockey sticks and loud shouts, the 1949 Girls' Field Hockey team was off to a booming start. This year's team was coached by Miss Jean Baker, and each afternoon was spent in practicing — mainly the drilling of fundamentals. The girls did not have such a good season, but the outstanding and exciting game was when the team overturned Bethesda with a 2-1 victory.

Under the excellent coaching of Miss Jean Baker, the Blazerettes finished the season with four wins and four losses. All the games were exciting and several were played under adverse weather conditions. But the girls showed great sportsmanship and a will to carry on.

One of the disappointments was the loss to Annapolis. It looked favorable until weather prevented its completion.

Betty Bevan, the captain, and Betty Straughn, the manager, put their hearts in the game, and the squad stood behind them to the best of its ability.

The easily won 11-7 victory over Bethesda was our outstanding game of the season.

Softball

First Row: Marie Kramer, Marilyn Gessella. **Second Row:** Miss Jean Baker, Nancy Kendrick, Betty Lee, Betty Gleim. **Third Row:** Betty Straugan, Vera Butler, Mary Brennan. **Fourth Row:** Betty Pemberton, Vivian Cherrix, Nancy Fox, Mary Lasher, LuAnne Walker.

		Opponent		Blair
April	20	*Sherwood	2	14
	23	Gaithersburg	6	8
	30	*Annapolis	14	16
May	4	Fairfax	16	4
	11	*Damascus	16	15
	15	Annapolis	23	16
	20	Bethesda	4	11
	28	*Fairfax	16	4

* Home games

Betty Straughn
Manager

Betty Bevan
Captain

The Diversified Occupation Class can be taken by Seniors and Juniors. In this course, the students go to school in the mornings under the direction of Mr. Cummings, and in the afternoons substitute book-learning on the job. Mr. Cleo Cummings was the sponsor.

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Barbara MacCollum
Priscilla Varney
Priscilla Ridge

Gay DeNike
Anne Swayzee
Joan Hover

Crowned by Bea Bartlett

BOY'S B CLUB

All boys who had won their letter, either as manager or player on any team, were eligible for this club. The aim of the club was to promote better sports at Blair and in the local Junior Highs. It also was a link between the alumni who have received letters, and the school.

GIRL'S B CLUB

President, Dorcas McLaughlin
Vice-President, Betty Gleim
Secretary, Betty Pemberton
Treasurer, Beverly Huntt

The girl's "B" club sponsored the now annual "slumber party." All girls who have won their athletic letters were eligible for the club.

The teacher sponsors were Miss June Lippy and Miss Jean Baker.

HONOR SOCIETY

President, Peggy Davis
Vice-President, Don Markle
Secretary, Muriel Sandifer
Treasurer, Priscilla Ridge
Historian, Bette Gill

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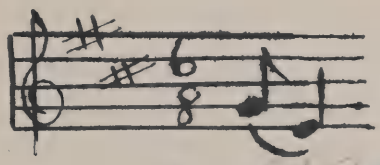
The '49 Chapter of the Honor Society was organized early in October by students who had earned their monograms the previous June. At this time, Mr. Harold Horn was selected as faculty advisor. During the Christmas holidays, the Society sponsored an Alumni Night with a babsketball game and dance. The proceeds went towards publishing an Honor Society Handbook.

QUILL AND SCROLL

Quill and Scroll was the International Honor Society of High School Journalism. A member was a Junior or Senior, in the upper third of the class, who had contributed superior work on one of the school publications. The organization was founded in Blair in 1946. Mrs. Alma E. Marshall and Mrs. Lucille N. Moler were the co-sponsors. Mr. Robert Zimmerman was a member from his high school. Mr. Ernest Rhodes was made a member this year.

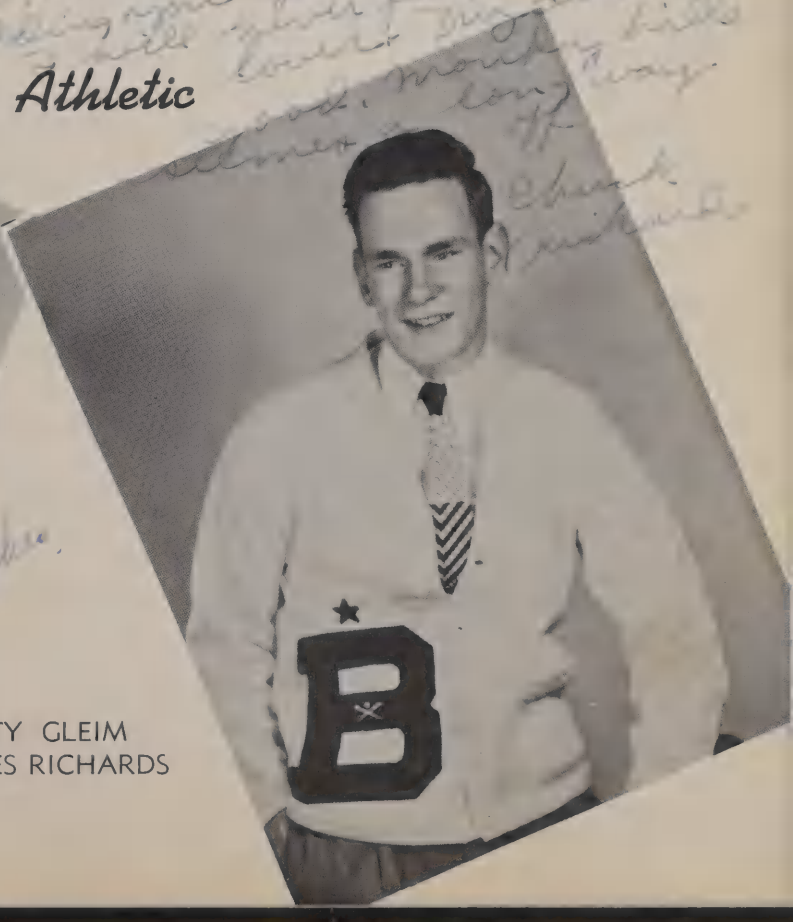
JOHN FORD
GAY DeNIKE

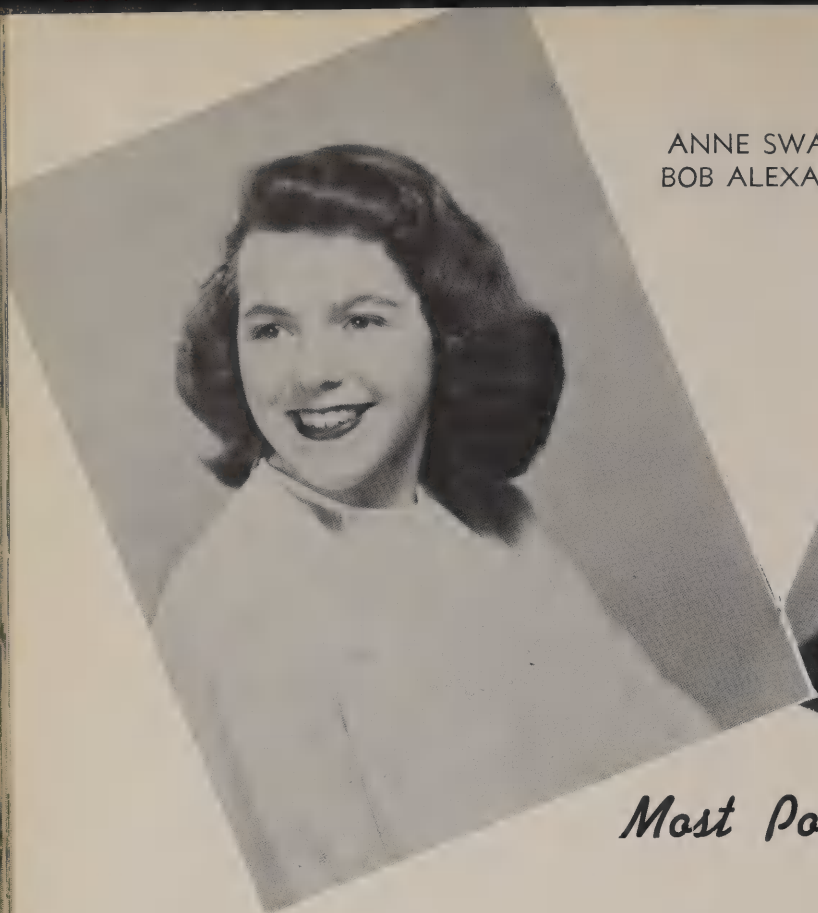
Best Dressed



Most Athletic

BETTY GLEIM
CHARLES RICHARDS





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Bob Alexander

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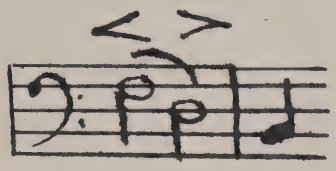
BETTE GILSON

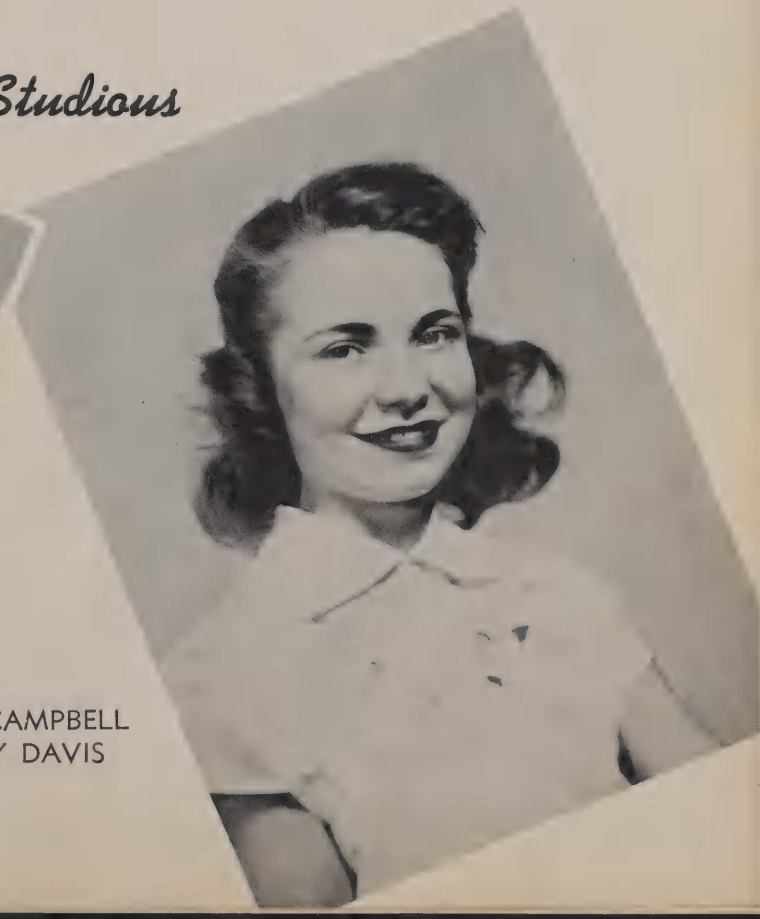
JOAN CARL
GEORGE CANDISH

Best Looking



Most Studious

JOHN CAMPBELL
PEGGY DAVIS



Silver Spring, Md.
June 21, 1959

Mr. Daryl Shaw
Montgomery Blair High School
Silver Spring, Maryland

Dear Mr. Shaw:

While I was on a recent tour around the world, I ran across a number of students who were in the graduating class of 1949, and I thought perhaps you would be interested to know what they are doing.

I left New York on an atomic rocket for Europe, which was driven by Jack Armstrong, (who recently set a new world's record of 7 minutes 5¼ seconds for the trip.) Before I left the United States I ran into Nancy Bakke, who is now the Duchess of Clermont-Ferrand, on her way to attend one of Dorothy Richardson's balls. Dottie, Nancy informed me is head of the society circle in Dienperket, Poland.

My first stop in Europe was Spain, I was pleased to see Walter Chamblin and Ed Chapin, who were going into the perfume business along with Dale Butler, Jimmy Foster and John Brookbank. Making a name for himself in Spain, was Ralf Peucker, who with the help of Jimmy Main, has become a very famous bullfighter. Also, in Spain are Douglas Ray, Richard Stewart, Bill Kreps, Bob Kibler, Dorothy Hanlon, Joan Harmon who have become the greatest acrobatic troupe in Europe. They call themselves the "Geniuses of Gravity."

While passing through Paris, I entered the "Pariee", a famous restaurant, and was greeted by "Junie" McLaughlin, who owns twenty other such inns, all over France. Featured at the "Pariee," was Winnie Winn and her "All-Girl Orchestra". Playing the saxaphones, were Joan Martin and Maureen Doherty; Marilyn Middleton and Betty McInnerney were playing the trumpets; while June Mosby was beating wildly on the base fiddle. Seated next to me was Mitchell Parsons, multi-millionaire play boy, with Beverly Huntt, now star of Bill Nicholas and Dick Nichols' motion picture in Funfrikchen, Hungary. After hearing Madam Bethrushka, the former Muriel Sterling, sing Chicker-ry Chirh-e-Doats, with the Sperati and Swartz Opera Company, I started on my way to Germany. By the way, that song Muriel sang was written by Bob Thompson, who is now rated as the greatest contemporary classical composer of all times. I ran across Bob Slaby former professor of Cornell, who is working on the Einstein Theory. I didn't see anyone else in Germany we both know as it was too crowded.

In Rome, Italy, I visited Joan Carl and Sher Lee Cheek's Beauty Shop. While in there I saw Dorothy Stotler, Erma Renner, and Shirley Wooten. Italy wasn't very interesting at that season and we hastily crossed the Mediterranean to Northern Africa.

Crossing the Sahara desert, I saw a great cloud of dust approaching and upon further investigation discovered it to be a caravan. Imagine my utter amazement when the head camel driver told me they were transporting the great "Sheik of Magadore," (Lewis Chesley) to his walled villa. He invited me to visit his domain and see some old friends.

Bette Gill, Dora Lawson, Carolyn Cook, Monroe Case, Nick Alberti were working for I. C. studios, now on location for their next picture "To Fall or not to Fall." They gave us the latest gossip from Hollywood.

We were ready to bid Lew farewell, when Rosemary and Betty Casper flew up on their magic carpet. We were glad to see them and asked them to come along.

When we passed the Egyptian pyramids, professors Ronald Behrens and Lewis Grandstaff rushed out to meet us. They were very excited. They believed the skeleton just discovered to be the bones of Cleopatra's pet snake. We spent seeral days at the King's villa and then trekked on.

In Miritison, near the Red Sea I found Charles Stevens and Joan Steward planning the widening of the Suez Canal. Our trip progressed across the Old Silk route and through India, not stopping because the monsoon season was on.

I avoided China because of the fighting and from India had a pleasant cruise to the Solomons.

In the Solomon Islands, I found Elaine Handabaka and her fellow butterfly collectors looking desperately for the "Flitter Flirt," a very rare type of insect. Among them were Martha Cox, Ruth Cramer, Charlotte Crawford and Betty Gilson. Mary Acree was leaving Jo Jo Island after an unsuccessful try to civilize the Purepigest Tribe.

On the ship which I took to South America I discovered Pat Cochran—captain; and that I was traveling on a new "Ziga Zime" designed by Harold Maeder. I found Sally Curry serving as chief soda jerk in the refreshment room.

Advertised in Arquipa, Peru was Harold Fravel's hat shop. When I visited it I saw him surrounded by reporters from "Miller's Magazine"; (owned by Ollie Mae Miller and Don Miller) taking pictures of Virginia Martin's latest creation, "A Flower—a Garden—a Bird."

I ran into Joan Thayer at the South American airport. She had arrived in a rocket on her way back from the States to marry a famous sheep rancher of Chile. I boarded the rocket on its return trip and landed in California.

Never having seen a studio, I went through Myers-Muhly-Ward's. Hollywood's most famous actress, Reggie Thomas, and her understudy, Virginia Baggott were there. Most popular actor was Gordon Townsend, who strutted down Hollywood and Vine with Ella Wingo, Ann Brown, Joan Wright, Carol Jean Turner and Lois Young. All were fighting for a small part with the producers, Herbert Sehorn, Maclin Robey, and Bill Settle.

I ran into Nancy Davis who was going back to Mexico and she asked me to join her for lunch. She told me she had seen Eddie Fairbanks and Charles Alderton, two dashing caballeros. She said, "Ann Adams lived in Brazil and was known as the 'Coffee Queen' and Ernest Clifford was Foreign Minister to Brazil."

Boarding the train in the station at Los Angeles, I saw Beatrice Cooke, Nancy Schlosser, Virginia Cosgrave, and Marilyn Archer who were returning from Cape Horn. On the train there was impromptu entertainment. Constance Crawford was the star and sang "I Was Gilded in a Bird Cage." There was a Ballet Company interpreting her song; among whom were Shirley Brownfield, Ann Herbert, Anita Hafermann Helene Hamilton, Betty Williams, Sonny Athey and Ivor Glyn-Jones.

I was glad to rest before my trip home and stayed for a few days at the Deaville Hotel, in Texas, near Houston, owned by Bob Williams and Bob White. Lounging on the beach I chanced to see Kevin Owens and his "Cracker-Jacks" composed of Ernest Loffler, Bob Hiedemann, Dick Schafer, and Paul Scully, a group which won the last Olympics on the murderous toboggan run at St. Moritz.

I had to travel east and stopped at Janie Atchieson's Dude Ranch. The instructor of horse-back riding at the ranch was Keith Donnellan, and under his able supervision were: Nan Weinman, Joan Short, Betty Carol Sullivan, Willard Jones, Ray Jackson and George White.

When I was in Texas I visited what used to be the "King Ranch," part of which is now owned by Elwood and Bill Colie. Among their section foremen were seven of the boys from the 1949 class, who you probably remember; James Griffin, John Perkins, Frank Leizear, Harry Lugenbeel, Bob Weller, Wilmer Trageser and Harold Reed. I went from the ranch to San Antonio, where I ran into Janet Kuhn, Nancy Kline, and Joyce King, who were seeing the historical sights in town, including the Long Horn Grill.

Gossip has it that Marian Marshall was the fashion buyer for Neimann-Marcus in Dallas. Among her models were, Betty Page Lowe, Barbara Lochte, Connie Crawford, Shirley Gittings, and Betty Fox.

I stopped off in New Orleans and found that Jeanne Heffner and Winfield Talley owned the concession for all the Coca Cola stands in town. What a racket! Some of their sellers, you will remember, were Joe Moore, Julian Smith, Peggy Smallwood, Donnie Rissler and Virginia Rice. Betty Hicks, I was told, was running a crossroads grocery store on the highway from Las Vegas, west.

Barbara Neal, Virginia Patrick, Anita Payne, Thelma Orrison and Cathrine Reinhart, have their own flying circus and I caught their show in Florida. This show was climaxed when Joan Ritter and Stanley Skaife, bailed out at a thousand feet, with only a parachute between them. Pat Wheeler and Doris McConoughey, handled the advanced publicity for the show, I understand.

Traveling north along the coast, I stopped in Atlanta, Georgia to see Ann Clements. She has been successfully married these past ten years and has four beautiful children. In Norfolk, I ran across Lyle Lamb, who is skipper of the fishing smacks owned by Pat White and Joanne Thrasher. Along were Agnes Minick, Ollie White, Charlotte McHorney and Frank Rawlings.

Along the bank waving to us were: Bill Brunner, Janice Lovre, Stephen Mixsell, Sue Patton, Al Wilson, Betty Woodworth.

Now I'm home after a long and pleasant trip of two years. Do drop by and have lunch with us at the Silver sometime. June Bean, Barbara Bussey, Geraldine Johnson, Dorothee Bliss, Margaret Crum, come in to lunch often.

I want to tell you about the trip I'm planning to Alaska. I've heard Dolly McMillan, Joan Lucker, Pat Beall, Tommy Prevo, Fred Goodhardt, Gloria Rausch, Peggy Davis and Carol Forbes run the weather station.

Maybe I can get some sun bathing, for the forecast is always the same, cold.

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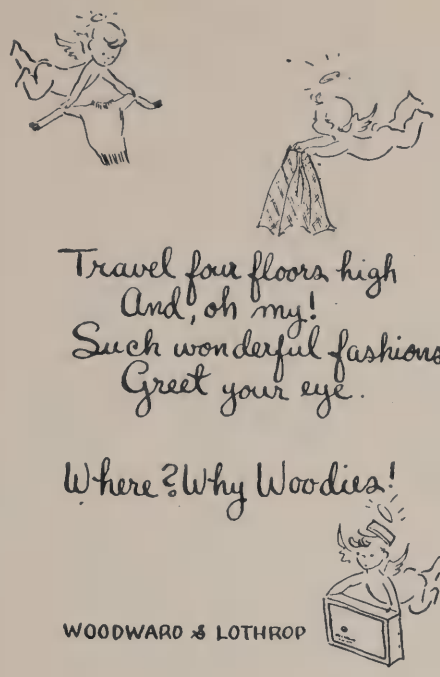

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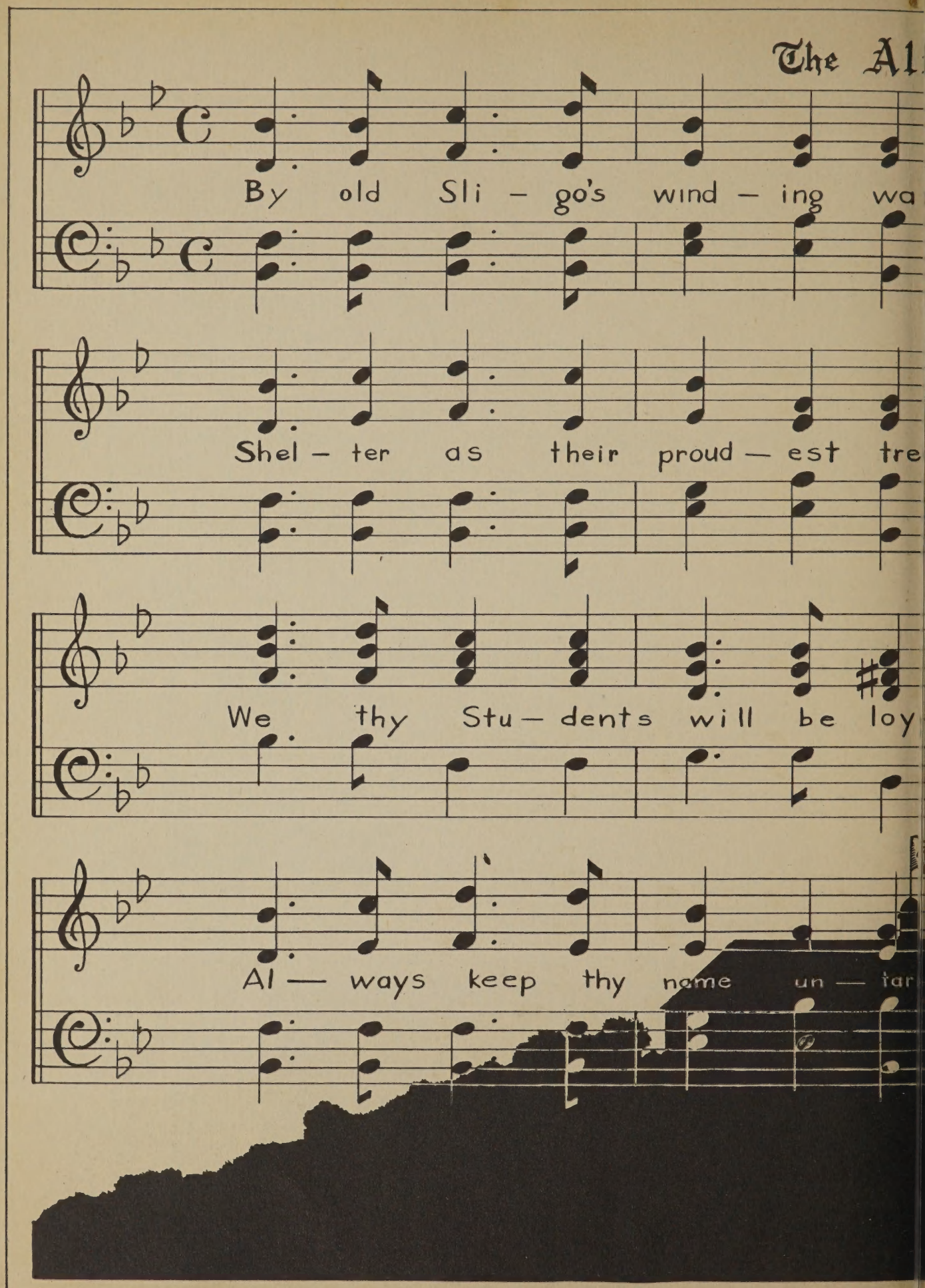
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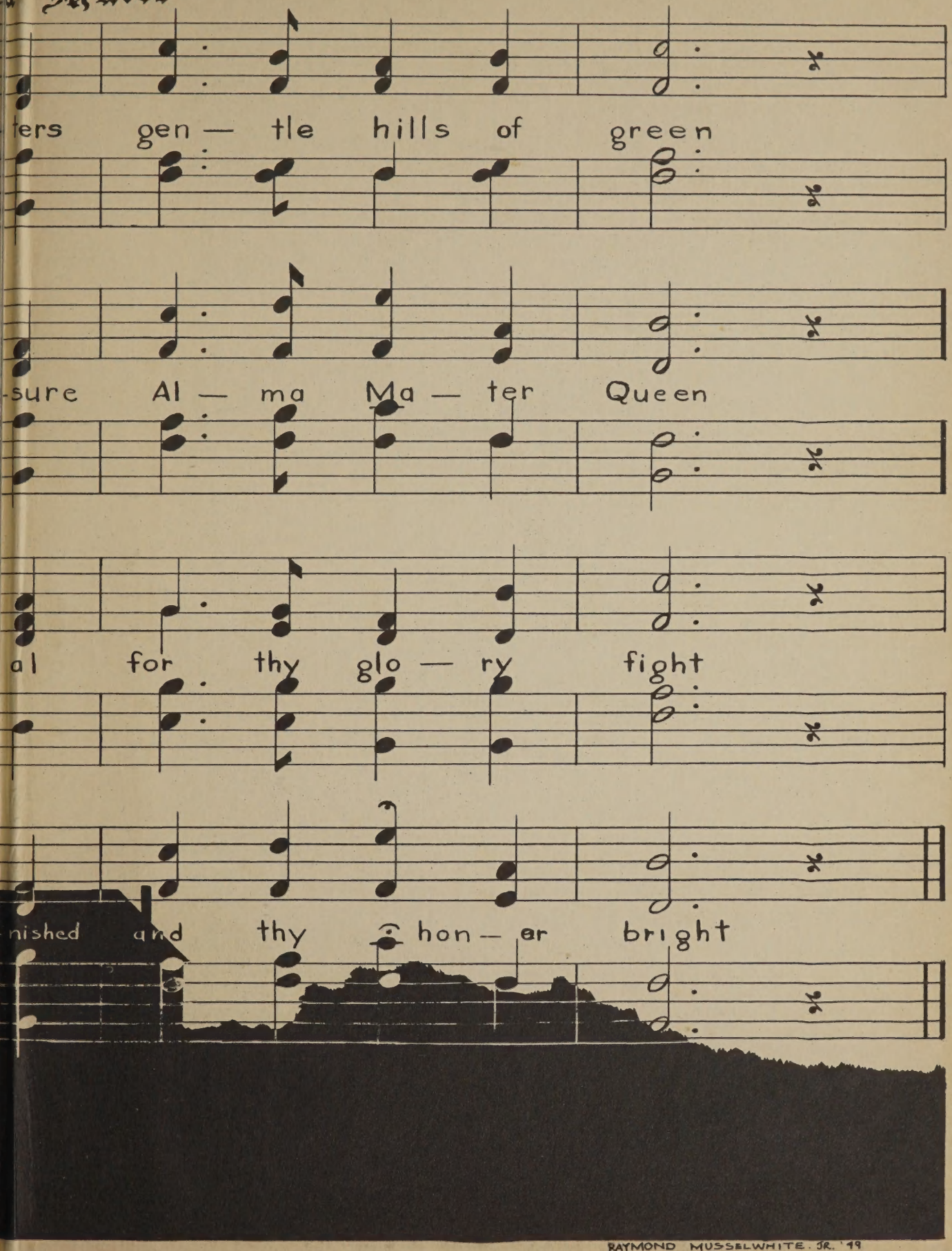

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